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CHILDREN'S COURT IN EAST END OF LONDON.

MERCIFUL MAGISTRATE AND WAYWARD CHILDREN.

PSYCHOLOGIST USED AS ASSISTANT.

Juvenile Courts, to deal with the delinquencies of young offenders are to be established in this Colony. For many years now these tribunals have been working with great success in England and the following sketch of the methods employed in the East End of London should be of local interest, particularly to those directly associated with the administration of justice.

Once a week a court sits at Toynbee Hall, in the East End of London, to consider the cases of young offenders: that is to say, children of sixteen or younger, writes a correspondent of the *Evening Standard*.

I say advisedly "considering the cases" rather than "trying". There is no sense of a court of law, of criminal procedure, though there is a sense of a charge to be answered.

But when it has been answered, when reproof has been administered and safeguards arranged, a child who in our days of savagery might have been sentenced to death may be told to "kiss your Mother."

That was the expression with which one young offender was shoofed out of the court when I attended this week's session; and Mother, who had been standing tearfully by, led him off to have another shot at being a good boy.

Imagine the "court." It is a big, cheerful room, with a piano in the corner. A dark-painted wainscot, with deep blue walls above, and on the walls bright, framed posters.

POLICE IN PLAIN CLOTHES.

At one table sits Sir William Clarke Hall, the magistrate: white-haired, benevolent, wearing pince-nez. At another are the probation officers—mostly women; at the third sit the representatives of school authority.

No policeman appears in the court in uniform. There is no "dock." The offender stands facing Sir William at the table. A sent is provided for the mother of an offender. "Now what can we do about Bill?" is the general sense of the gathering.

There is no doubt that Bill is, at the moment, off the rails. There he stands, the fire on his left, Sir William Clarke Hall, elbows on table, finger-tips joined, looking at him more in sorrow than anger. "Come here, Bill," he says, and

Bill goes right up to the red baize and talks confidentially to Sir William.

BILL OWNS UP.

A trivial theft is what brings him there. The policeman in plain clothes tells the court about it.

"Well, Bill," says Sir William, "you hear that. What have you got to say about it?"

This method, as generally happens when it is applied in the court, makes Bill try to be truthful, and he blurts out a confession. There he was, jumped on the back of a lorry for a joy-ride, and when he got off he found that a package that had been on the lorry was somehow in his hands.

Sir William shakes his head. "Well, I don't know, Bill. After all, this is stealing you know. I'm surprised at you. A boy with a school record like yours doesn't want to be a thief, does he?"

SOLVING A PROBLEM.

Sir William beckons to Bill's mother, who comes forward.

"Now, what are we going to do about Bill? We don't want to send him to a school, you know. But there was that other boy of yours." Bill's mother is not very helpful. She is thin, obviously overworked, worried to death by Bill, this, that and the other.

"Well," asks Sir William, "what does the psychologist say?"

The psychologist's report is handed up; and possibly the report of a doctor, too. The mind and the body have been considered. These two, and the report from the school, are the main data on which Bill's case is considered.

Bill is put on probation. "You know what that means, Bill? Miss — will look after you. On Saturdays you will go and see her and tell her how you are getting on. You're rather weak-willed, you know, Bill. I can see what the matter with you. You've got into bad company. Can I trust you to get out of it?"

BOY GANGSTERS.

I had a word with a mission worker who had come to court with another lad—"a splendid little chap," he said; but there he was, self-convicted of theft. The victim of an East-end gang. (Continued on next column.)

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS.

TODAY.

(April 30.)

Fifth Extra Race Meeting, Happy Valley, 1st Bill at 1.15 p.m.

Crickat: Interport XI, v. Sarvicos.

Football:—Division I. (League): Kowloon v. Borderers, 5 p.m.

Concert: China Light & Power Recreation Club, 9 p.m.

Central Theatre: "To-night or Never."

King's Theatre: "Skyline."

Queen's Theatre: "Black Coffee."

Star Theatre: "Eyes of the World."

World Theatre: "24 Hours."

Tan Dances at King's Restaurant and Hong Kong Hotel; Dinner

Dances at Hong Kong Hotel, Repulse Bay Hotel and King's Restaurant. Gala Night, Peninsula Hotel, from 8.30 p.m. to 1.30 a.m.

European Mail.—Inward: Europe via Suez (Africa). Outward: Europe via Siberia (Bangalore) 3 p.m.

SUNDAY.

(May 1.)

Fifth Sunday after Easter.

May Day.

St. Philip and St. James.

Rogation Sunday.

Queen's Theatre: "West of Broadway."

Central Theatre: "Arrowsmith."

King's Theatre: "Delicious."

World Theatre: "Half Shot at Sunrise."

Star Theatre: "Show of Shows."

Tan Dances at King's Restaurant and Repulse Bay Hotel; Dinner

Dances at Hong Kong Hotel, Peninsula Hotel and King's Restaurant.

European Mail.—Inward: Europe via Siberia (Hakawa Maru).

the worker told me. He explained that there are gangs of big boys who, using the huge of a copper or two, induce smaller boys to be their look-outs while they gamble or expediment with graver misdemeanours. That was how this "splendid little chap" first stepped into the company of thieves.

Sometimes, of course, there is evidence that probation has failed. The influence of the home or the street may be too strong. Then the case passes, probably for ever, from the jurisdiction of this merciful court.

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NEW YORK'S SKYSCRAPERS.

EMPIRE STATE BUILDING TALLEST.

At the beginning of 1929 New York City had 93 structures of 30 or more storeys in height, and nearly 500 exceeding 20 storeys. In 1929 the number of buildings above the 30-storey mark was 40, in the following year it had increased to 70, and on January 1, 1931, there were 89 structures in that class.

As was the case a year ago, the Empire State Building with its 86 storeys heads the list, rising to a height of 1,350ft. above the road. Two years ago the 77-storey Chrysler Building at 1,046ft. was at the top of the list, and the year before the Woolworth Building, the 66 storeys of which rise 767ft. into the air, was the tallest structure in the world except the Eiffel Tower. That tower has, however, been surpassed by the Bank of Manhattan 70 storeys and 927ft.; the Cities Service 60 storeys and 900ft.; the Chrysler and the Empire State buildings. In 1907 the 45-storey Singer Building, which has a height of 612ft., dominated the New York skyline, but was quickly followed by the Metropolitan Life Building with 46 storeys and 637ft. Now the Singer Building has only the seventeenth place on the roll, and the Metropolitan Life Building ranks tenth.

Ceiling Heights.

Some interesting comparisons are found if the buildings are arranged in the order of their actual height in feet. Through variations in ceiling heights and the styles of architecture used at the tops of buildings, the 41-storey New York Life Building, rising to a height of 610ft., is taller by 3ft. than the RCA-Victor Building, which has nine storeys more. Similarly the Metropolitan Life Building, with 46 storeys and a height of 637ft., occupies the tenth place in the list, while the 49-storey Nelson Tower is twenty-third, its height being only 540ft.

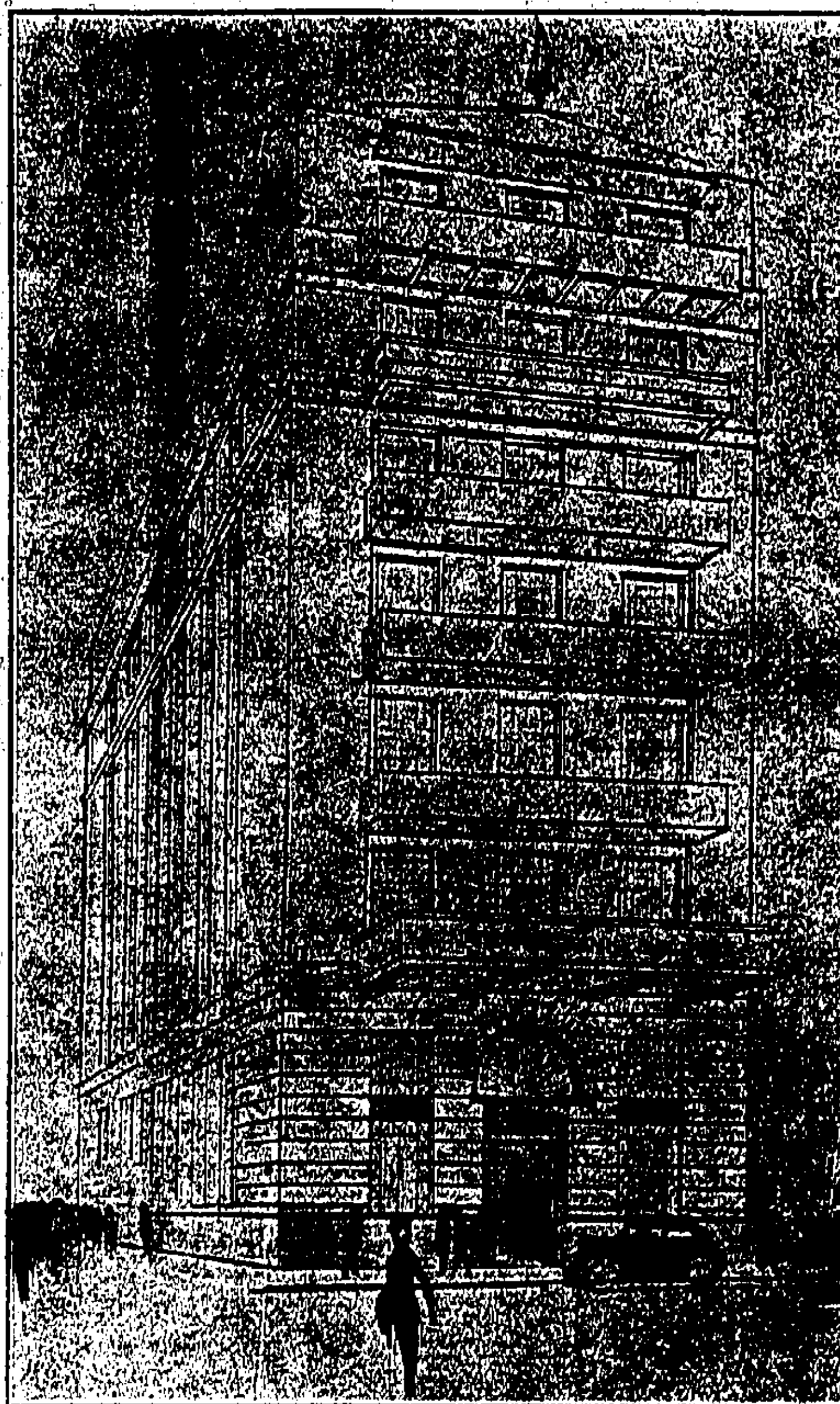
NATIONAL COMMERCIAL & SAVINGS BANK.

NEW BUILDING IN ICE HOUSE STREET.

The National Commercial and Savings Bank, Ltd. Hong Kong, whose present premises is at 144-150 Des Voeux Road, Central, a valuable property of their own, have found it too small for their growing business, and have recently acquired a most valuable site in the centre of the banking and business

district in Hong Kong. The property was purchased from Messrs. David Sassoon & Co., Ltd., and is situated at the corner of Ice House Street and Des Voeux Road, Central. Ice House Street, is the "Wall Street" of Hong Kong.

The National Commercial and Savings Bank, Ltd., are planning to construct a seven story reinforced concrete building on the site with a frontage of 53 feet by 100 feet. Messrs. Palmer and Turner, the well-known Architect, is in charge of the construction. The new building will not only be a most beautiful structure but will also be most modern in every respect.



The National Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.,
Hong Kong Head Office.

The ground floor will be occupied by the Bank. It will have two Manager's offices, a spacious lobby and banking hall and office space. The Mazzanine floor which will also be occupied by the Bank will consist of office space, a Board room, and a Safe Deposit Vault. The Safe Deposit Vault, also in the Mazzanine floor, will be a very strong one and at the same time free from dampness, which is a very important and valuable feature, because deeds and other written documents will not be damaged by moisture.

Upper Floors as Offices.

All the upper floors are to be let as offices. They are going to

be the most modern offices in Hong Kong.

To the left of this new building is the Bank of East Asia, at the back is the Hong Kong Stock Exchange, across the Des Voeux Road is the Netherlands India Commercial Bank and across the Ice House Street is the Hong Kong Share-brokers Association and next to it is the Bank of Canton, The American Express Co., and the Hong Kong & Shanghai Banking Corporation. Certainly it is difficult to find a more ideal location for banking and business purposes.

It is hoped that the new building will be ready for occupation sometime next Easter.

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By heating the coke ovens in this way the whole of the gas made in them is rendered available for use in the open-hearth furnaces, soaking pits, and reheating furnaces, and the fuel requirements of a works are balanced, so that the whole of the thermal demands are met by the blast-furnace gas and the coke-oven gas, with a saving in the consumption of fuel.

USE OF CONCRETE IN BUILDING.

PROPOSED CODE OF PRACTICE.

A committee has been set up by the Building Research Board of the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research "to review present methods and regulations for the use of reinforced concrete in building and to make recommendations for rules of practice embodying the best available technical information and experience."

The immediate occasion for the appointment of the Reinforced Concrete Structures Committee was a request from the London County Council. The Council wrote to the Department referring to the activities of the Advisory Committee appointed by them to consider and report on any necessary amendments of the London Building Act, 1930. This Advisory Committee, it was stated, was impressed with the draft code of practice, drawn up by the Steel Structures Research Committee, for the use of structural steel in building, and considered that its work would be greatly facilitated if it could be furnished with a similar code for the use of reinforced concrete.

Information Bureau.

In view of this request, and appreciating also the national need for authoritative up-to-date information on the design and construction of buildings wholly or partly of reinforced concrete, the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research decided to set up a committee of the Building Research Board forthwith, under the chairmanship of Sir George Humphreys, chairman of the Board. Another member of the board, Mr. B. L. Hurst, was also appointed on

the committee. The Institution of Civil Engineers, the Royal Institute of British Architects, the Chartered Surveyors' Institution, the Institution of Structural Engineers, the Institution of Municipal and County Engineers, the British Standards Institution, and the Institution of Builders were each invited to nominate two members. All these institutions willingly accepted the invitation, with the exception of the British Standards Institution, which preferred to assist later, in the preparation, if wanted, of a British Standard Specification based on the proposed code. The committee consists of 14 members, and the Director of Building Research, Dr. R. E. Stradling, is acting as executive officer to it.

No Special Funds.

It will be realized that the functions of the committee are limited to the drawing up of technical rules of practice based on existing knowledge and experience. No special funds are available for research, and the committee is in no way concerned with the framing of legal regulations or with other administrative action. It is hoped, however, that the code of practice, when drafted by the committee, will be of assistance not only to the London County Council, but also to the Ministry of Health and other building authorities in any actions they may consider it desirable to take.

It may be mentioned that the London County Council, on the recommendation of their Advisory Council and of their Building Act Committee, have now approved a code of practice for the use of structural steel and other materials in building, as the basis of consideration of applications under Section 56 of the London Building Act, 1930, for release from the provisions of the third schedule of the Act. This code is based on the recommendations of the Steel Structures Research Committee.

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5th SUNDAY AFTER EASTER.
Holy Communion, 8 a.m.
Holy Communion (Peak Church), 8 a.m.
Children's Service, 10 a.m.
Coral Eucharist and Sermon, 11 a.m.
Preacher:—The Dean.
Evening, 6.30 p.m.
Preacher:—The Rev. N. Evans.

Week Day Services:

Mattins, Daily, 8.0 a.m.
Intercessions for the Sick, Wednesday, 10.15 a.m.
Holy Communion.
Monday: Rogation Days, at 7.45 a.m.
Tuesday: 7.45 a.m.
Wednesday: 7.45 a.m.

Other Notices.

ASCENSION DAY Thurs. May 5th.
Holy Communion, 7.45 and 10.30 a.m.
Mattins, 9.00 a.m.
Festal Evensong, with Address, 5.30 p.m.

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SUNDAY SERVICE, 11.15 a.m.
Subject:—"Eternal Punishment."
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Wednesday Evening Meeting, 8.00 p.m.
Reading Room at above address open:—Tuesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 Noon; Monday and Thursday, 5.30 to 7 p.m.
The Public is cordially invited to attend the services and visit the Reading Room.

UNION CHURCH

(Hong Kong)

SUNDAY, MAY 1, 1952.
Morning Service, 11 a.m. (Broadcast)
Evening Service, 8 p.m.
Preacher:—Rev. E. G. Powell.
Social Hour after Evening Service.
Sunday School:—Kennedy Road, 10 a.m.

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH, Wanchai

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The following are the forthcoming Services, etc. at the Wesleyan Methodist Church, Wanchai.
SUNDAY, MAY 1, 1952.
5th SUNDAY AFTER EASTER.
Morning Service, 10.15 a.m.
Subject of Sermon:—"What is Christ's Best Gift to Men?"
Evening Service, 8 p.m.
Subject of sermon:—"The Altars of Life."
(1) Abraham's First Sacrifice.
Preacher:—Rev. Eric C. H. Tribbeck.

The Sunday School has been discontinued until the First Sunday in November.

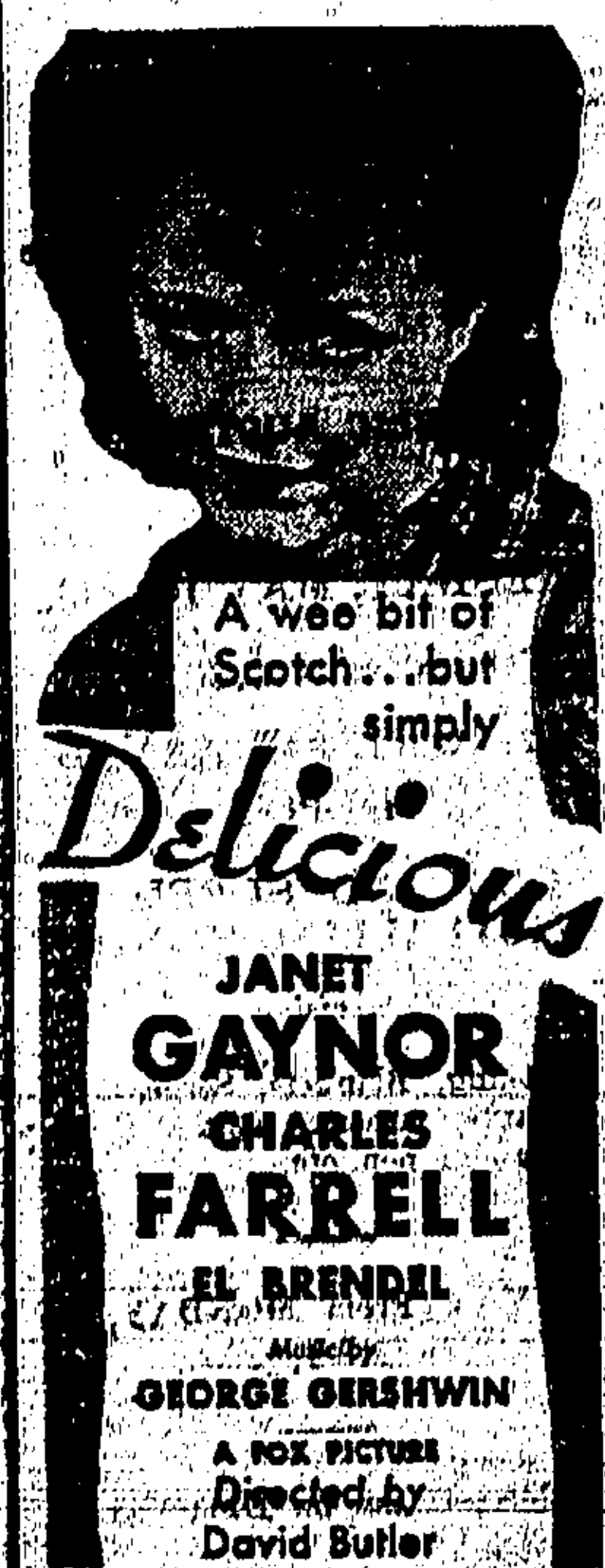
A Business of the Ladies Church-Aid Society will be held on Monday, 2nd May, at 3 p.m. in the Committee Room of the Wesleyan Sailors & Soldiers Home.

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WEEK END RADIO PROGRAMME

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SUNDAY

12.15 p.m.—Relay of the Service from the Union Church, Kennedy Road.

Preacher—The Rev. Mr. E. G. Powell.

Order of Service.

Voluntary.

Hymn—"Worship the Lord in the Beauty of Holiness."

Invocation and Lord's Prayer.

Hymn—"O Lord Thou Art My God and King."

Scripture Reading.

Hymn—"Look, Ye Saints, the Sight is Glorious."

Prayer.

Offertory.

Offertory Prayer.

Hymn—"Crown Him with Many Crowns."

Sermon.

Hymn—"Nearer My God to Thee."

National Anthem.

Benediction.

12.15 to 2 p.m.—Chinese recorded programme.

1 p.m.—Local time and weather report.

2 p.m.—Close down.

3 to 10 p.m.—European programme.

9 p.m.—Local time and weather report.

6.05 to 8.35 p.m.—An Organ Recital from the Union Church, Kennedy Road by Mr. G. E. Longyear.

PROGRAMME

1. Chonale (147) (Bach).

2. Pilgrims Chorus (Wagner).

3. Serenade (Wagner).

4. Hallelujah (Beethoven).

5. Gloria (Mozart).

6. Damascus (Costa).

8.35 to 10 p.m.—Programme of records supplied from Z.B.W.'s Library:

Orchestra—"Rosamunde"—

Overture (Schubert)—Sir

Hamilton Harty conducted the

Radio Orchestra.

Pianoforte Solo—"Prelude and

Fugue in C Major" (Bach).

Pianoforte Solo—"Prelude and

Fugue in C Minor" (Bach)—

Harold Samuel.

Song—"Resurrection"—Dieu De

Grace" (Alfonso).

Song—"Louise—Depuis Le Jour"

(Charpentier)—Mary Garden

(Soprano).

Orchestra—"Lyric Suite"

(Grieg Op. 54)—The Royal

Albert Hall Orchestra conducted

by Sir Landon Ronald.

Violin Solo—"Caprice Viennois"

(Kreisler).

Violin Solo—"Ave Maria"

(Schubert arr. Wilhelm)—

Nacum Blinder.

Song—"Pagliacci—On With the

Play" (Leoncavallo).

Song—"Pagliacci—No Punctilious

to No More" (Leoncavallo)—

Giovanni Martinelli with the

Metropolitan Opera Chorus.

Pianoforte Solo—"Sonata Appas-

sionata in F Minor" (Beet-

hoven)—Harold Bauer.

Cello Solo—"Abendlied" (Schu-

mann)—Pablo Casals.

10 p.m.—Close down.

ENGINEERING AND BUILDING

Increasing Vague Of Heat Resisting Steels.

HOW RESEARCH HAS MET THE REQUIREMENTS OF HIGH TEMPERATURE OPERATIONS.

BY AN ENGINEERING CORRESPONDENT.

One of the prominent features of modern industrial work is undoubtedly the much larger application of high temperatures than formerly were employed. This is conspicuous in many departments. The raising of these temperatures imposes quite a new set of conditions and calls for new materials with the required properties which will endure the great heat stresses without undue depreciation of strength.

These conditions present difficulties not at first easily overcome. They are, however, being assuredly surmounted through the close co-operation of the research worker, the manufacturer, and the consumer, so that there are to-day available numerous classes of steel specially designed for resistance to these high temperatures which some years ago had not entered the conception of the metallurgist or engineer.

MAIN REQUIREMENTS.

While the necessary properties of these steels would appear to be very simply stated, they are, under closer examination, somewhat complex. Any one of the essential requirements might be easily met, but the production of steels embodying all the essentials has presented problems which have only been solved by more patience in research and cost in commercial development than is ordinarily appreciated.

Three essential properties are those of resistance to scaling and to corrosion, and also either the maintenance of strength or, rather, the minimum depreciation. It is, for example, very well known that steel very considerably depreciates in mechanical properties with elevation of temperature up to, say, 900 to 1,000 deg. C. With ordinary types of steels this would involve undue thickness in design for the purposes of strength, even apart from a concomitant trouble of softening, and therefore deformation of shape. In the special heat-resisting steels now available this lowering of mechanical strength has been markedly reduced.

Secondly, there is the resistance to scaling. Ordinary steels suffer considerable losses at elevated temperatures, involving an appreciable decrease in section. This diminution of dimension by resistance to scaling constitutes one of the chief features of the newer types of steel. Thirdly, resistance to the action of corrosion by gases is probably of not much less importance as the action of sulphur gases both at high temperatures, and also under condensation conditions at lower temperatures is of no mean order.

VALUABLE PROPERTIES.

The extent to which these ideals of maintained strength and resistance to scaling and corrosion have been met in modern products, can be well illustrated from the published researches. It is confirmed by the satisfaction evidenced by the consumer, who is the first to experience the high costs and the losses occasioned by further structural steels of inadequate strength.

For example, while ordinary mild steels rapidly decrease in tensile strength to only four or five tons at 900 deg. C., the modern types of heat-resisting steels are capable of retaining tensile strength to the extent of up to 16 to 20 tons per square inch. This is a figure, the value of which will at once be appreciated.

On the score of resistance to oxidation at high temperatures, it

may with confidence be stated, though the results will naturally vary widely with the nature and duration of the test, that the loss of thickness at anything up to 1,000 deg. C. will be reduced to one-fourth of that of ordinary mild steel, while according to the nature of the test it may even be taken that over quite long periods at not too high temperatures the losses from scaling and corrosion are practically negligible.

AVAILABLE MATERIALS.

But these properties would be of limited value apart from the fact that they can be obtained in materials producible in forms applicable to the furnaces and processes in which these unusual conditions are met. Thus the materials should be available in most of the ordinary forms as castings, rolled bars, sheets, and forgings, and should, moreover, be amenable to the usual operations of manufacture, possessing machinability, and, if possible, being capable of welding by the gas or either of the electric processes. These fortunately are demands which can now be met.

The variety of uses to which these maximum heat-resisting steels have been put bears some testimony to the modern more successful application of high temperatures, for, apart from these products, these extreme temperatures could not easily be entered for. Reference may be made to some of these uses.

The principle of heat saving by recuperation has long been practised, the heat from waste gases being transferred to incoming cold gas or air through heated refractory walls. These can now, however, be made of steel of the heat-resisting type, combining strength and toughness with low heat capacity and rapid heat transfer. In furnaces many parts are exposed to the direct heat of the fire. Under this category are a number of parts of the chain grate stoker which are called upon to withstand not only the temperature but also some severe stresses, while in sulphide roasters there is the combined action of the heat with that of the sulphur gases.

Internal combustion engines, too, with their recently greatly increased efficiency, call for very special types of steels for those parts which are subject to the highly-heated gases. Thus the valves have necessitated the use of the most resisting materials on which, if any scaling does occur, it is of a minimum in quantity and adherent in nature.

Moreover, in the gas-turbine the rotors function at a temperature of 850 deg. to 900 deg. C., with the excessive rotational speeds of 30,000 revs. per minute and circumferential velocities of 2,000 ft. per second. The erosive action of these hot gases and the generally stressful conditions constituted a handicap to the development of this type of power unit until the more modern materials became available.

COMPOSITION OF THE STEELS.

The special properties attaching to these steels have not been attained without special investigation. With the increasing temperatures metallurgists have been studying the heat-resisting materials, and the alloys of iron, nickel, and chromium were the first to offer the special qualities required. The properties of nichrome, for example, are well known, and also the application of alloys of this

type of composition as electrical heating elements. Additional iron was a natural consequence, and these ternary alloys offered most of the required properties, having in some cases double the electrical resistance of the nickel-copper series. They also resisted scaling well up to temperatures of 800 deg. C.

Above this temperature, however, they began to scale badly, and were far inferior to the binary alloys of nickel and chromium. Persistent research, however, has now given us the series of alloys possessing all the required properties of heat resistance with not unduly depreciated strength, and also at a cost far below that of the nickel-chromium series of alloys.

Naturally there are many types of these steels produced to the different makers. For the most part, however, it may be taken that they contain, in addition to iron, a chromium content from 10 to 30 per cent, with nickel varying from 7 to 35 per cent, and even higher. Still more recent additions include silicon and tungsten in varying amounts up to 3 and 6 per cent, respectively. There is thus no sharply defined line between some of these heat-resisting steels and the nickel-chromium iron alloys. They have almost indefinite life at temperatures up to 850 deg. C., with very little scaling at considerably increased temperatures.



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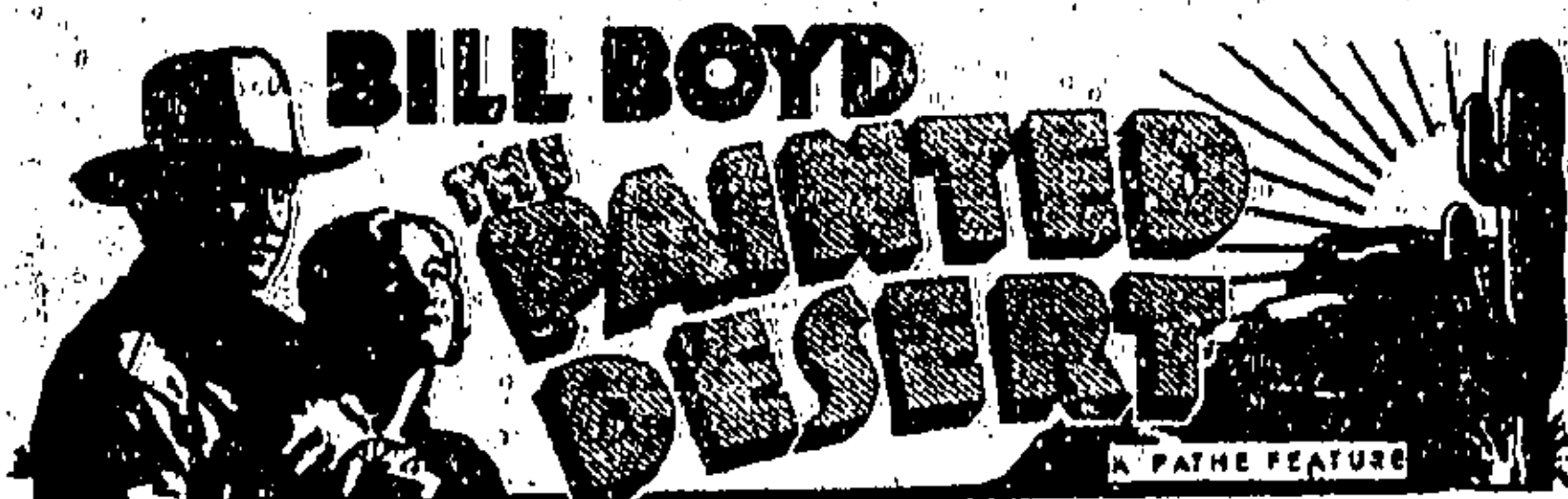
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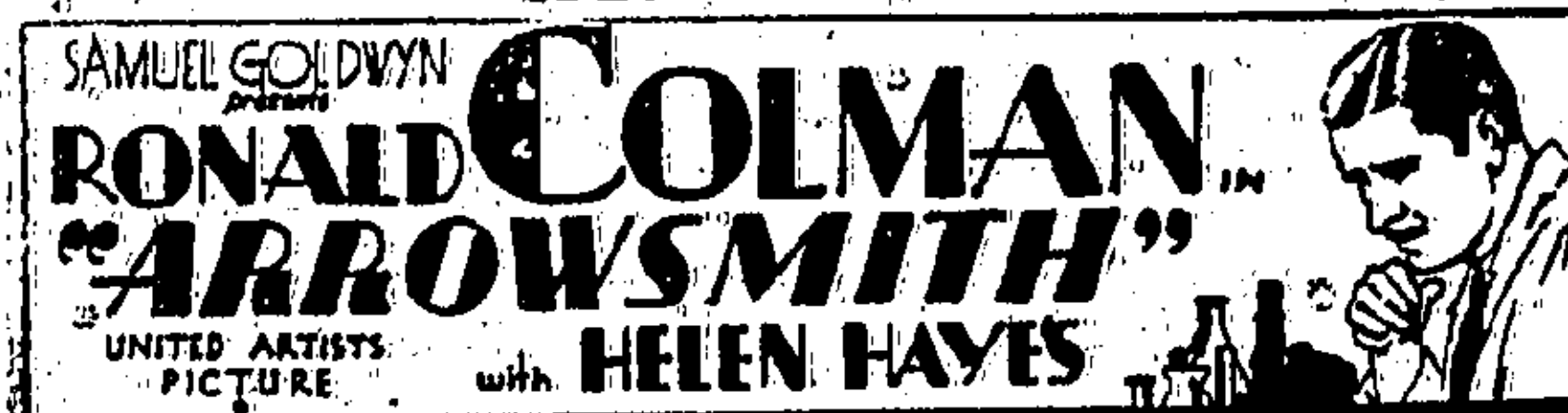


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PLAYERS LIKE A GOOD FILM.

HARDIE ALBRIGHT'S OPINION OF "SKYLINE."

"I would rather play a minor role in a picture with a strong story and a director who possesses imagination than I would to star in a picture with an uninteresting story and inferior direction," declared Hardie Albright, during the filming of his featured role in "Skyline," the Fox drama scheduled to be now showing at the King's Theatre.

"The valuable thing is the knowledge you take away from the picture you appear in," continued the young star. "When you have a good story there is the necessity to go to the very depth of your character and knowledge of life to measure up to the material and the incentive."

"To star in a poor picture with a second rate director, only puts an actor on the spot—in the spotlight."

"You can imagine, then, what a treat it is for me to be featured in 'Skyline,' with a whole of a story and a topnotcher like Sam Taylor directing it. And Thomas Meighan on hand to give me advice when the going gets rough. Take it from me, we have a picture here."

Those who have seen "Skyline," agree with Albright. It is a picture of modern life, and tells the story of a young fellow, who learns from his mother on her deathbed, that the brutal barge captain he has always considered his father is only his step-father. He then goes to the city and works on a skyscraper in course of construction by his real father whom he does not know, but hates. He falls in love, and when the father reveals himself a stirring climax is reached.

Like Meighan Albright was born in Pittsburgh, went through the public schools and Carnegie Tech and added a course in an art school. Although he seriously intended to follow the career of the brush and easel, the stage had too strong an appeal for him to continue painting, and after a course in sprouts in an amateur company, he tried stock for a while. Then he played leads in "Young Sinners" and "The Greeks Had A Word For It." A Fox contract followed.

Maureen O'Sullivan, Myrna Loy and Donald Dillaway are also featured.

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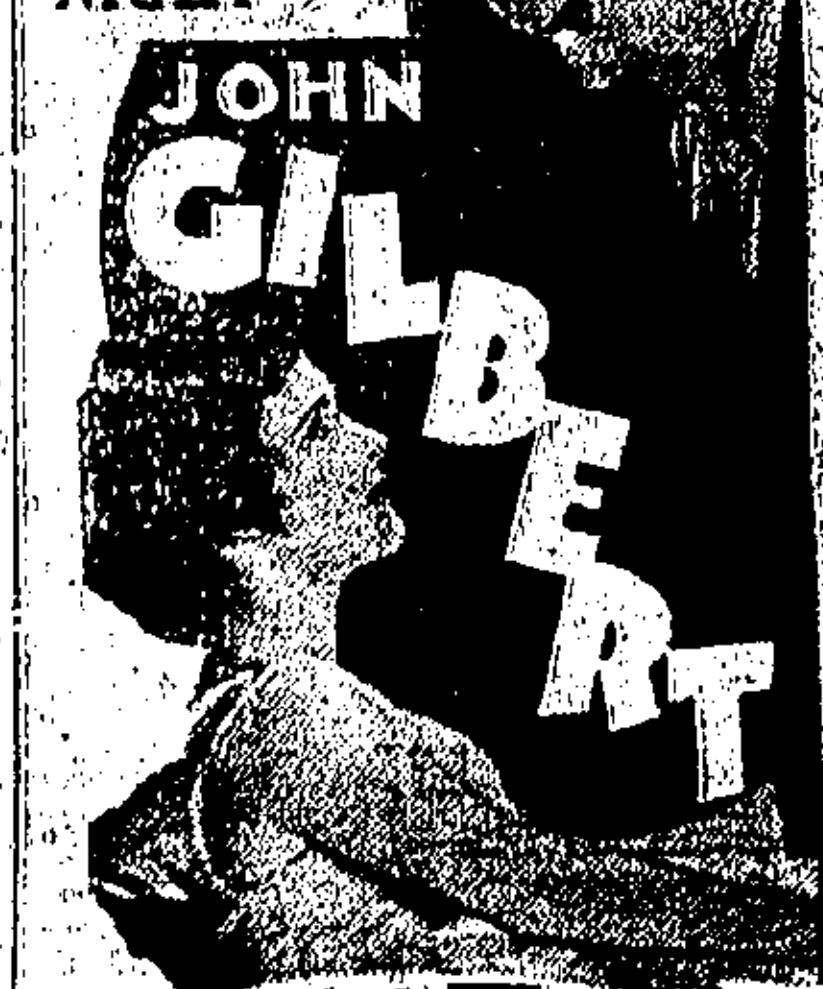


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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION

THE Office and Stations of the CHINESE MARITIME CUSTOMS for Kowloon and District will be CLOSED to PUBLIC BUSINESS on the 6th MAY, 1932, being a CUSTOMS HOLIDAY.

E. N. ENSOR,
Commissioner of Chinese Customs,
Kowloon and District.
York Building,
Hong Kong, 29th April, 1932. [2144]

NOTICE

MRS. F. E. THORNHILL having resigned her position from the CATERING DEPT. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI HOTELS, LTD. isopen to accept similar appointments in Hongkong or Shanghai. Please write to Box No. 1146 c/o Hong Kong Daily Press.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FIFTY-NINTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Society will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, Union Building, Hong Kong, on FRIDAY, 27th MAY, 1932, at 11 O'clock A.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1931, and of declaring Dividends, etc.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from 9th MAY to 27th MAY, Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
PAUL LAUDER,
General Manager,
Hong Kong, 30th April, 1932. [2146]

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WEATHER REPORT

Yesterday's weather report, forecast, and remarks, issued by the Royal Observatory at 5.30 p.m., stated:—
The anti-cyclone is now central to the South of Japan. A depression is central to the East of Peiping. Depressions appear to be forming over Indo-China and to the East of N. Borneo.
Local Forecast: S.E. or variable winds; moderate; cloudy; showery.

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Hong Kong, April 30, 1932.

ELECTRIFYING BRITAIN.

For many years Great Britain was definitely behind some other nations in the use of electricity. There were various reasons for this state of affairs, one of them being perhaps that British industry and British industrial centres had been built up on coal and gas for power and lighting purposes, and it was not easy to change over. In other countries, which entered the industrial field at a much later date, it was possible to make a start with electric power and light.

A few years ago the question of a better utilisation of electricity was earnestly considered, and the Central Electricity Board was formed. The Board is a semi-official body, on the lines of a number of the most modern British undertakings, designed to give the public the benefit of private enterprise and initiative, and at the same time retain Governmental direction and control. Its first business was to co-ordinate the many existing electrical undertakings and develop a national supply. A plan for covering the country with a network of generating stations, connected by powerful transmission lines known as the Grid, was prepared.

The country was divided into ten areas, and schemes covering nine of the areas have now been adopted, the last being that for South Scotland, which was adopted in July last. The remaining area, North Scotland, is peculiar in various ways. Though it covers nearly one quarter of the total area of the country, it accounts for less than two per cent. of the population. It is thus a very "lean" area, electrically speaking, but provision is being made for its needs.

According to the fourth annual report, covering 1931, of the Central Electricity Board, which was recently issued, the national production of electricity last year increased by about four and a half per cent. Great Britain was alone, among the industrial countries, in showing a definite increase. Over the five years 1927-31 the expansion of the output of electricity from her public supply undertakings was 34.9 per cent., compared with 16.3 per cent. in the United States, 14.6 per cent. in Germany, and 21 per cent. in Italy.

In some areas, notably the districts where some of the basic industries are found, the upward movement in consumption, which had proceeded almost unbroken from 1922 to 1930, was not continued in 1931; but the decline in the industrial consumption was more than made good by the extension of the demand for electricity for domestic and commercial purposes. On the other hand, electrification of industrial processes and re-equipment of installations were carried out in some industrial areas more widely last year than in previous years. Cotton and woollen textile firms, iron and steel plants—especially in Lancashire, Yorkshire and Scotland—paper mills and chemical works carried out important schemes of conversion to electric drive.

As the towers for the carrying of the transmission lines in the making of the "Grid" all over the country must be built largely on private land, the obtaining of the sanction of the many various owners for the sites for the towers and the work connected therewith, or "wayleaves" as they are called, have to be obtained. Wayleaves were acquired last year for 1,280 miles of main transmission lines, bringing the total up to 2,877 miles; only 233 miles remaining to be obtained. These included sites for 18,459 towers out of an estimated total of 17,335 for primary lines, and 6,918 out of 8,878 for secondary lines, 173 sites for switching and transforming stations had been acquired—an increase of 61 over the total recorded at the end of 1930.

The construction of the main transmission lines advanced almost as rapidly as the acquisition of wayleaves. In primary line, 1,775 miles of towers had been erected at the end of 1931, an increase during the year of 1,143 miles, and an increase of 330 miles. At the end of the year 810 miles of transmission lines—404 miles of primary and 306 miles secondary—were in commission, and 45 miles in addition had been energised and made ready for operation. At the end of 1930 the figure was 484 miles and at the end of 1929 it was 80 miles. The total value of the contracts placed by the Board for the construction of the Grid amounted to £21,848,880 at the end of December, an increase of £2,584,040 during the year. The construction of the Grid, we are informed in the report, is proceeding without any major alterations in the original design.

The full effects of the Grid will not be felt for some time, but the effects will be very beneficial. Should a trade boom develop as it is expected to do by many experts, the electrification of the country will be of enormous benefit to manufacturers and traders throughout the country. Great Britain has not moved quickly in the utilisation of this enormous power which the scientists and technicians have given to us, but now that the problem has been faced it is being dealt with thoroughly and completely.

POPULAR POLICE OFFICIAL.

MR. P. P. J. WODEHOUSE
RETIRING.

Mr. P. P. J. Wodehouse, A.S.P., will retire from the Hong Kong Government Service when he sails for Home on May 31. Born locally in 1887, Mr. Wodehouse started his long and useful service with the Government at the early age of 19 and, during his 35 years of service he has occupied many important and responsible positions with much credit.

In 1910 Mr. Wodehouse was made a Companion of the Order of the Indian Empire for services rendered during the military operations, and during 1918 and 1919 he acted as A.D.C. in addition to his other duties, to Sir Henry May and Sir Claud Severn.

Mr. Wodehouse is a keen football enthusiast and has taken considerable interest in the management of the game in Hong Kong, being a Vice-President of the Hong Kong Football Association.

He has the reputation of being one of the best speakers of Chinese in the Government Service and has also passed in Hindustani and Punjabi.

Tale of the Day.

Woman: "If you don't go, I shall add my husband!"
Tramp: "He is not at home."
Woman: "How do you know?"
Tramp: "A man with a wife like you is never at home."

To the South Seas in ex-Brixham Trawler.

Among one hundred persons who have answered an advertisement for a crew to join a shark fishing and adventure expedition on a sailing trip to start from Southampton are two titled women, a baronet, several ex-naval officers of high rank, and two bank clerks, who are prepared to throw up their positions immediately.

Mr. George Henry Robbins, who is organizing the adventure, is a retired business man, who was formerly a sailor, and wants to see the seven seas once more before he dies.

Lieut.-Com. C. O. Luxmore, son of the explorer, will be the navigator of the ship, in which the party will sail, and Mr. Valentine Cox, the Sussex writer and artist, will be one of the crew. In the South Seas the expedition will fish for sharks and sell the skins for leather.

The ship, the *Winnie*, was sold by Mr. Alfred Babb, of Brixham, to its new owners last year.

Way of Killing Pigeons.

For some time the citizens of Salzburg have been trying to evolve a humane way of killing off some of the pigeons whose rapid propagation in their town has become a great nuisance. Reuter reports that a special committee was appointed to investigate and report. All kinds of methods for exterminating the surplus birds were examined, but none appeared to be entirely satisfactory.

But now a bright idea is to be put into operation. The pigeons are to be intoxicated. Grains of wheat, impregnated with strong liquor, are to be scattered about the Cathedral Square and other places where the pigeons congregate. When—oh if—the pigeons eat the grain, it is expected that they will fall into an inebriated stupor in which state they will be easily netted and put painlessly to death.

Binnacle as Font.

On the quarter-deck of the destroyer *Vesper*, lying alongside Devonport North Dockyard, was witnessed a religious ceremony which is probably without precedent in the history of the port. It was the baptism of the twin infant sons of an officer of the ship, Commissioned Engineer C. A. Rowwood, R.N. The part of the deck used for the service had been screened with flags. The binnacle was used as a font, and, in this was the ship's bell, which, being inverted, contained the water used for the baptism. The water was condensed in the ship by the father of the children.

The parents of the twins carried the children from the wardroom to the quarter-deck. The children went through the ceremony without a murmur of protest.

★ Local Notes and Events ★

The Hong Kong dollar was yesterday quoted at 2.3/4d. on demand.

As from May 1, the Kowloon branch of Messrs. Lane Crawford's will be at 54, Nathan Road and not in the Dairy Farm premises.

The offices and stations of the Chinese Maritime Customs for Kowloon and District will be closed to public business on May 5, being a Customs holiday.

The official opening of the Chinese Merchants' Trade Investment and Construction Co., Ltd., will take place at 11.30 a.m. to-day on the third floor of Gloucester Building.

The annual general meeting of members of the Hong Kong General Chamber of Commerce will be held in the offices of the Chamber, Chartered Bank Building, on Thursday, May 5, at 4.15 p.m.

According to a report made to the police by Mrs. J. T. Wright of 303, The Peak, some person stole a silver cigarette box valued at \$600 from the veranda of her house sometime between 1 a.m. and 1.45 a.m. on Thursday.

Among the passengers arrived on the President Taft yesterday was Rear Admiral E. B. Fenner, who is returning to America to take over the U.S. Light Cruiser, Division 2. Admiral Fenner has been in charge of the Naval Base in Manila since December last year, when he was promoted from Captain to Rear Admiral.

Birds' Plumage Smugglers.

Attempts to smuggle the plumage of rare birds into Great Britain have greatly decreased during the last year, but the traffic has not been eliminated.

A recent case illustrated the technical assistance the Customs receive from the staff of the British Museum.

A bird was found hidden in some baggage, and the owner protested that it was not one that could not be imported. The Customs sent the bird to the Natural History Museum at South Kensington, and the exports there decided against the owner.

He was asked by the Customs if he would present the bird to the Museum, otherwise it would be destroyed.

The bird was handed over to the Museum.

There are many exhibits there which have been obtained in this way.

Lost Radium Needles.

Radium needles worth \$400, lost in Westminster Hospital, are being searched for among the clinkers of garden paths at Crawley, Sussex.

The task, apparently as difficult as trying to find a domestic needle in a haystack, is not regarded as hopeless—in fact, one radium needle has already been found in a heap of clinkers.

The associating of Crawley's garden paths with Westminster Hospital was worked out as follows:

The needles, which had been used on a patient, were, it is assumed, thrown by mistake with the discarded dressings into a rubbish box.

The rubbish box was emptied into the furnace.

Clinkers from the furnace were sold to a contractor in Crawley.

Sold them to local residents, who used them for making their paths and drives.

The hospital authorities obtained from the contractor a list of all the people who had bought clinkers from him.

Men were sent to each house, armed with an electrocope sensitive instrument which "divines" the presence of radium.

The hospital authorities are hopeful that all the needles will be found.

The Gulf Stream Has No Effect On Climate, Says Expert.

Is the Gulf Stream a myth? According to Dr. Edouard Le Danois, Director of the Scientific and Technical Department of the French Fisheries and a leading authority on marine life, it does not cross the Atlantic, but vanishes before reaching the Azores and has no effect upon weather conditions in Western Europe.

He holds that warm currents of varying intensity wash the Irish, French and Spanish coasts as a result of an "Atlantic tide" flowing north and south in summer and winter between the mouth of the Amazon and the Gulf of Guinea.

The Atlantic, he says, consists of two vast layers one of cold, not very salt water, probably of Polar origin, and the other of warmer, more salt water, which flows northward from the equator in summer and returns in winter.

This tide of warm water, Dr. Le Danois says, attains its greatest effect at intervals of one, four and a half, nine, 18 and 27 years, so far as we are concerned.

Have You a Broken Heart?

If you have kept it inside and do not answer, it is a terrible sin to confess your ailment.

Believe it or not, any woman who has loved and lost and tells the world is instantly convicted by any jury of women of having fished.

And any judge who tries to assess the damage which the break is promptly told he knows nothing about the law—the immutable law of women.

Last month in Melbourne Judge Foster awarded £150 as the amount of damage to the heart of a woman who had been jilted. He complained that he had no scale to work on in fixing the value of a broken heart. It was all guesswork, he said.

And to-day someone in every scale of the world of women contradicted him.

It was the unanimous verdict of femininity from flapper to fiancée, young bride to old bride, mother to grandmother.

The court of women, on action by a woman for breach of promise, decides in this fashion:—
Flapper:—If she can stop so low as to drag their so-called love through the mud of publicity, then it is not her heart that is broken, but her pride.

Fiancée:—There is no cash value on a broken heart. And there is no "scale" that can assess the damage.

Young Bride:—Only the soulless woman will go to court and brazenly say she has a broken heart. That sort of woman has no heart to break. I would sooner die of a broken heart than admit he hurt me.

Mother:—The child of mine who dares to go to court on such a thing no longer is my child.

Grandmother:—Fiddlesticks! She is a hussy who wants money for such a thing. Let her parents spank her and put her to bed.

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Use of Italian in Malta.

The question of the removal of Italian from the list of compulsory subjects in the schools of Malta is to be raised in the Italian Senate, Signor Grandi, the Foreign Minister, will be asked:

"What action, if any, the Italian Government proposes to take in respect of the British Government's proposal to abolish the teaching of Italian in the Maltese elementary schools and to suppress the use of the Italian language in the criminal courts?"

The question is introduced by twelve Senators, including two former Ministers of Education. It is expected that its discussion in the Senate will bring to a head the whole problem of Italian interference in Maltese concerns.

Looking back 25 years.

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government has been pleased to appoint Mr. C. C. Meier to be a director of the Widows and Orphans' Pension Fund during the time he holds the office of Colonial Treasurer.

The Devonian Society of Hong Kong held its eleventh annual dinner on Saturday evening at the Hong Kong Hotel and the function passed off with its customary success. Mr. A. Shelton Hooper presided, and Mr. Mowbray S. Northcote, the hon. secretary, occupied the vice-chair.

Looking back 50 years.

The intelligence received yesterday through Reuter's agency is believed to make the friends of Ireland stand against that ruthless assassination and brutal outrages were becoming common every day occurrences in the Green Isle.

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The Company will be to the minds of Britons, living in a world of distinctive uniform, and abroad, as the last during-arms cable has been sent to Australia committed will force it. In broad for a supply of slouch hats charcoal daylight, in Phoenix Park, Dublin, the Australian Imperial Force, the Chief Secretary and the Under-Secretary of State, for Company stood out in time for the parade to be held on the King's Birthday.

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ST. JOHN AMBULANCE
PARTY RETURN.

After spending two months attending to the wounded soldiers in the French Concession, Shanghai, the remaining members of the St. John Ambulance Brigade returned to the Colony on the R.M.S. Empress of Japan yesterday. The party consisted of 18 men and 24 nurses and Brigade Officer Wong Shu Wa.

During their stay in Shanghai, the members of the Brigade handled 500 cases, most of the patients suffering from fractures, and it is worthy of note that only one death occurred.

The Motor Ambulances and all surplus medical supplies taken to Shanghai were presented to the Chinese Red Cross Hospital there before the departure for Hong Kong.

The Brigade were the recipients of many trophies, cups and medals, which were presented by various associations in Shanghai, and were guests at many functions, given by the Citizens' Emergency Association, International Hospital Committee, Chinese Y.M.C.A., Dr. E. O. Yen, Mr. Kwok Shun, manager of Wing On Co., and others.

DARTMOOR MUTINY TRIAL

EX-GOVERNOR ON CAUSE OF REVOLT

SELF-DEFENDING CONVICT PRAISED BY JUDGE

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

LONDON, April 29. A feature of the Dartmoor trial to-day was the cross-examination of Colonel Roberts, the Governor of Dartmoor at the time of the January riots, by one of the thirty accused convicts who is defending himself. "You have done it very fairly," said Mr. Justice Finlay after a series of well-framed questions.

Colonel Roberts, the ex-Governor, expressed the view that the frustration of numerous attempts to escape was the real cause of the mutiny, and related an occasion when resentment was exhibited at his refusal to allow men who would not go to church to attend the prison concerts. The Home Office later decided that they should be permitted to go.

The Judge paid a surprise visit to the prison, before the court sat and asked many questions, showing himself particularly interested in solitary confinement.

AMAZING SCENES IN DAIL EIRANN

DAN BRENN'S DRAMATIC OUTBURST

(REUTER AND BRITISH WIRELESS.)

LONDON, April 28. Amazing scenes occurred in Dail Eirann to-day during the debate on the Bill for abrogating the Oath of Allegiance.

The excitement followed reference by various speakers to incidents in Ireland during "The Troubles."

Dan Brien, of the Fianna Fail Party (the De Valera group) jumping up dramatically, said:

"During the Troubles I went out to kill, if possible, Lord French, in order to sever the link with Britain and I would do the same again if the occasion arose."

Lord French was Lord Lieutenant of Ireland at the time of which Mr. Brien was speaking.

Commons Statement.

In the House of Commons to-day, when asked whether the Government intended consultations with the Dominions on the position which had arisen from the attitude adopted by the Irish Free State, the Dominions Secretary, Mr. J. H. Thomas replied that the present issues between the United Kingdom and the Free State arise out of the interpretation of the 1921 Treaty and other agreements forming part of the settlement then reached between the two countries.

He added that the difference at the moment was between two parties to an agreement, one of which had repudiated it.

28 DAYS IN 1919: 8 DAYS IN 1932

CHARLES SCOTT'S FINE FEAT

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.)

Rugby, April 28. The Guild of Air Pilots, the membership of which includes many famous airmen, has elected to Mr. Charles Scott, a member of the Guild, to represent it in eight days, twenty hours and forty-four minutes, which beat the previous record, established by Captain Butler, by nearly six hours.

The Guild's message said: "Well done, The Guild is proud of you." Many individual airmen paid a tribute to Mr. Scott, including Mr. J. A. Molison, the holder of the Australia to England and the England to the Cape records.

Scott was using the same little 100 horse-power Moth machine in which he set up an England-Australia record a year ago, subsequently beaten by Butler. His wonderful time was achieved despite very strong headwinds.

Five years ago the record for a flight to Australia was twenty-eight days, set up in 1919 by the famous brothers Sir Ross and Sir Keith Smith. Bert Hinkler then smashed that record by flying a Moth machine over the ten thousand miles journey in fifteen and one half days.

U.S. NAVAL VOTE

G. \$326,340,000 APPROPRIATED

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

WASHINGTON, April 28. The House of Representatives to-day passed a Bill providing for the appropriation of \$326,340,000 for the Navy Department.

Of this sum \$341,230,000 will be spent on the construction of new warships and the modernisation of old vessels.

SHANGHAI BOMB OUTRAGE

Japanese Militarists and Diplomats Seriously Wounded

JAPANESE TROOPS IN ACTION

ENGAGEMENT WITH GUERRILLAS NEAR KIRIN

SUCCESS FOLLOWS SEVERE FIGHTING AT HAILIN

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

CHANGCHUN, April 29. On receipt of a report that a body of a thousand guerrilla troops were threatening Tungchua, where 140 Japanese are finding refuge in the Consulate branch office, a detachment of Japanese troops left Kirin this morning and encountered the guerrillas en route. A sharp engagement ensued, and the Japanese lost five dead and five wounded. Further details are lacking owing to the interruption of communications. It was discovered that the bandits had burned down two wooden bridges on the Kirin-Tungchua line, whereof one, Ocho-tcho, will take a week to repair. The other Ochoho is now closely guarded by Japanese troops.

MURAI BRIGADE CAPTURE HAILIN

TOKYO, April 28. Harbin Press despatches report that the main force of the Murai Brigade, after detouring at Imen-poo, clashed with the insurgent forces on Wednesday night near Hailin.

The rebel army was estimated to be at least six thousand strong and was surprisingly well equipped, their weapons including tanks. It is also reported that they were equipped with gas apparatus.

TWO HUNDRED DEAD

After a severe engagement which lasted all through Wednesday night and during which the Japanese captured an armoured train, the Japanese forces occupied Hailin.

The insurgents were driven back, leaving two hundred dead on the field of battle, two field guns, and other war booty.

"KING LEO" RUNS AMOK

OBJECTS TO BROADCASTING ARRANGEMENTS

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

New York, April 29. Wireless "fans" had an unusual thrill last night.

"King Leo," the lion film star was to have celebrated his 18th birthday by an appearance "on the air," but evidently did not approve of the broadcasting arrangements. Listeners heard only two loud grunts, followed by terrific crashes.

Leo, who weighs 300 lbs., plunged through two double plate-glass windows and ran amok in the hotel throwing into panic two hundred people, before he was finally subdued.

Five persons including three girls were injured during the panic.

"HONOUR SLAYING" TRIAL

JURY FAIL TO AGREE AFTER 24 HOURS

RETRIAL PROBABLE

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

HONOLULU, April 29. The jury in the "honour slaying" trial are still out after twenty-four hours. The opinion is given that there will have to be a retrial, owing to the inability of the jury to agree.

The jury is still unable to agree and has again been locked up for the night. The prosecution has rejected the defence's suggestion that if ten or eleven of the jurors are agreed a majority verdict be accepted.

OBITUARY

GENERAL URIBURU

EX-PRESIDENT OF ARGENTINE

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

PARIS, April 29. The death is reported of General Urriburu, an ex-President of the Argentine.

TRAGEDY AT MILITARY REVIEW

PLATFORM BLOWN TO PIECES

ASSASSIN NEARLY LYNCHED BY FURIOUS CROWD

HONGKOW PARK WAS AT NOON TO-DAY THE SCENE OF A NATIONAL ANTI-JAPANESE OUTRAGE, AS A RESULT OF WHICH JAPAN'S FIVE LEADING DIPLOMATS AND WAR CHIEFS WERE WOUNDED, FOUR OF THEM GRAVELY.

THE OCCASION OF THE OUTRAGE WAS A GIGANTIC MILITARY DISPLAY IN HONGKOW PARK IN HONOUR OF THE JAPANESE EMPEROR'S BIRTHDAY.

THOUSANDS OF JAPANESE CIVILIANS WERE GATHERED IN THE PARK FOR THE MARTIAL ARRAY. A REVIEW OF OVER TEN THOUSAND JAPANESE TROOPS WAS THE PRINCIPAL FEATURE OF THE AFFAIR.

IN THE CENTRE OF THE PARK WAS A SMALL PLATFORM ON WHICH MR. SHIGEMITSU, MR. MURAI, GENERAL SHIRAKAWA, GENERAL UYEDA AND ADMIRAL NOMURA WERE ALL STANDING.

JUST ABOUT NOON, AFTER THE REVIEW, MR. MURAI WAS DELIVERING A SPEECH. HE WAS HALF WAY THROUGH WHEN THE PLATFORM WAS SHATTERED BY A BOMB WHICH LANDED RIGHT IN THE MIDDLE.

THERE WAS A TERRIFIC EXPLOSION AND IT WAS SEEN THAT ALL THE OFFICIALS HAD BEEN WOUNDED. MR. MURAI AND MR. SHIGEMITSU ARE IN A DANGEROUS CONDITION FROM WOUNDS. THE TWO ARMY LEADERS ARE SERIOUSLY INJURED, WHILE ADMIRAL NOMURA ESCAPED WITH FACE INJURIES.

THE BOMB IS BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN THROWN BY A KOREAN. BEFORE HE WAS CAPTURED BY THE MILITARY, HE WAS BADLY HANDLED BY THE CROWD AND WAS PICKED UP UNCONSCIOUS.

NUMEROUS PEOPLE IN THE CROWD RECEIVED HURTS WHEN CROWDS OF JAPANESE WOMEN AND CHILDREN STAMPEDED PANIC-STRIKEN BY THE OCCURRENCE.

GENERAL SHIRAKAWA SERIOUSLY INJURED

GENERAL SHIRAKAWA IS SERIOUSLY INJURED WITH A HEAD WOUND AND BODY WOUNDS.

GENERAL UYEDA HAS A SERIOUS LEG WOUND. ADMIRAL NOMURA HAS A HEAD WOUND.

MR. SHIGEMITSU IS SUFFERING FROM A BROKEN LEG. MR. MURAI HAS SEVERAL LEG WOUNDS.

JAPANESE TROOPS, AFTER THE OUTRAGE, IMMEDIATELY SURROUNDED THE PARK AND CLOSED ALL EXITS. THEY ARE NOW CONDUCTING A RIGOROUS SEARCH AMONG THE THOUSANDS OF SIGHTSEERS.

IN ADDITION TO THE KOREAN WHO THREW THE BOMB SEVEN CHINESE HAVE ALSO BEEN ARRESTED. AFTER THE OUTRAGE WAS COMMITTED ALL EXITS AND ENTRANCES WERE CLOSED AND ALL SPECTATORS, INCLUDING FOREIGN PRESSMEN, ARE STILL HELD.

Investigation has revealed that the bomb hurler was a Korean, Yinho Kitsu, aged twenty-five. He is now being held at Japanese military headquarters.

BOMB HURLED AT SEVEN FEET RANGE

SHANGHAI, April 29. While Mr. Murai was addressing Japanese schoolchildren a commotion was caused when Yinho Kitsu pushed his way through the crowd standing at the rear of the platform. He pulled a bomb from his clothing and hurled it in the middle of the platform from a distance of seven feet. The police fired to check the attempt but were too late.

The crowd surged around Yinho Kitsu, rained blows and kicks on him and would most certainly have torn him to pieces if troops had not intervened. While some of the troops surrounded the wounded, others immediately searched the sightseers and in the space of a few moments Hongkow Park was transformed into an armed camp seething with tense excitement. Nobody was allowed to leave; everyone present becoming prisoners for the time being.

News of the affair, which was broadcasted by radio, and published in special editions of papers, created one of the biggest sensations in Shanghai in recent years, causing as much excitement as on January 28, when the Sino-Japanese hostilities broke out.

It is now learned that Mr. Kawabata and Mr. Tanano, respectively, President and Secretary-General of the Japanese Residents' Association, were also on the platform at the time, both being badly injured but not critically.

ADMIRAL NOMURA LOSES AN EYE

Admiral Nomura has lost an eye and the doctors state that Mr. Shigemitsu will probably have to undergo amputation of a leg, and will be in hospital at least three or four months. Mr. Kawabata, President of the Japanese Residents' Association, is not expected to live.

ASSASSIN'S CONNECTION WITH MANCHURIA

It is learned that Yinho Kitsu, whose action to-day caused a world wide sensation, was a clerk in a Chinese laundry in the French Concession, having come to Shanghai from the Chientao district of Manchuria eight months ago.

AMERICAN ARRESTED ON SUSPICION

W. S. Hibbard, an American employed by the Shanghai Municipal Council as Clerk of Works, was arrested by the Japanese military in Hongkow Park shortly after the bombing incident, but was later released after representations had been made by the U.S. Consul-General, Mr. Cunningham.

TOKYO PROFOUNDLY SHOCKED

TOKYO, April 29. The Shanghai bombing has profoundly shocked Tokyo, and it is feared that the signing of the Sino-Japanese truce, which was confidently expected to take place tomorrow, will be delayed as all Japan's outstanding leaders in Shanghai are wounded.

SARAJEVO INCIDENT RECALLED

SHANGHAI, April 29. The sensation created over the whole of the Far East by to-day's incident in Hongkow Park may well be likened to the stir created in Europe by the assassination of the Austrian Archduke Sarajevo on June 28, 1914. For example, when Reuter's Nanjing correspondent informed members of the Govern-

ment of the tragic news they were plainly skeptical, and reminded the correspondent of the wild rumours of the death of Shirakawa and Uyeda in early March. However, when further news of the outrage reached Nanjing everyone was so appalled that they remained only half credulous.

DIPLOMATS OFFER CONDOLENCES

GENEVA, April 29. Sir John Simon and M. Hyndman and M. Bonegour called on Mr. Nagatsuka and tendered their condolences on the Hongkow incident. Sir John conveyed an expression of sympathy also from Mr. Ramsay MacDonald.

PAINFUL IMPRESSION AT GENEVA

GENEVA, April 29. The Hongkow outrage has made a painful impression on all sides but it is unlikely to affect the progress of events here, although it may be raised incidentally to-morrow at a general discussion by the Assembly in which case both sides will endeavour to extract propaganda therefrom. Sino-Japanese partisans are already trying to turn the Hongkow incident to good account. Unofficial Japanese spokesmen cite the incident as proving the continuance of unsettled conditions, and assert that anti-Japanese passions are rampant. The Chinese are dilating on the provocative effect of the Japanese military displays.

WHY DID YINHO KITSU THROW THE BOMB?

SHANGHAI, April 29. Whether Yinho Kitsu received outside inspiration or plotted his dastardly crime himself is the question which the Japanese military are trying to solve. It is reported in Japanese quarters that Yinho Kitsu was a close friend of a man named Chen Chung Chu, who was the leader of the so-called China and Korea National Association. Chen, it is stated, was also Sui Fo's secretary, and consequently it is argued that Yinho Kitsu possibly received inspiration (Continued at foot of next column.)

R.A.F. PLANE FORCED TO LAND

PILOT AND OBSERVER TAKEN PRISONERS

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.)

Rugby, April 29. News was received by the Air Ministry to-day that while engaged on reconnaissance duties with the Iraq Army in Northern Kurdistan, a Royal Air Force machine was forced to land amongst hostile tribesmen.

The pilot, Flying Officer Wells, and leading Airman Evans were taken prisoners but it has been ascertained that they are alive and well.

SUPPRESSION OF OPIUM

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

GENEVA, April 29. Fuad Bey, the Turkish representative, told the Opium Advisory Committee to-day that the Turkish Government has decided to accede to the Hague Convention of 1912 and also to the additional Protocol of 1914 and the Geneva Convention of 1925.

Sir John Campbell (India) said that if Persia would follow suit, there would be complete international cooperation, with the exception of the Soviet.

SHAI ARMISTICE NEGOTIATIONS

LEAGUE ACCEPTS FORMULA

SINO-JAPANESE COMPLICATIONS AT GENEVA

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

GENEVA, April 29. The Committee of Nineteen at a meeting held this afternoon were informed that the armistice negotiations, are being resumed in Shanghai, an agreement having been reached on the point which led to the suspension of the original discussions.

The Committee, on receipt of this information, drafted a resolution for submission to the Assembly of the League on Saturday.

It is understood that the new resolution embodies the compromise formula drawn up by Sir Miles Lampson and approved by both Japan and China.

It is confidently anticipated that it will be passed unanimously with the exception of Japan who will abstain from voting.

ALTERATIONS TO RESOLUTION

GENEVA, April 29. The draft of the resolution now completed leaves all the clauses unchanged except Clause XI, whereof the following is substituted:—The Committee notes that in virtue of its powers as defined in annex three of the draft agreement the Commission entrusted with the execution of articles one, two, and three of the agreement is authorised, in taking decisions in the manner laid down in the said annex, to call attention to any negligence in the execution of any of the provisions of the above-mentioned articles.

JAPANESE DELEGATES NOT TO VOTE

TOKYO, April 29. The Japanese Government has instructed its delegates at Geneva to attend the meeting of the Assembly but to abstain from voting.

FURTHER CHINESE PROTESTS

NANKING, April 29. Interviewed this morning, the spokesman at the Foreign Office stated that the Chinese Government insists that the Shanghai armistice negotiations be resumed after the resolution. The Chinese Government protests repeatedly against the reconnoitering of Japanese planes over the Chinese lines, and also reports that the Wosung Customs officials have reported that the Japanese military have interfered with the officials in carrying out their duties. The Japanese reply states that pending the restoration of "normal conditions" the Japanese military are compelled to interfere with the Customs work in areas where the Japanese military are stationed. The Chinese Government is demanding means to meet the above issues.

SINO-SOVIET RELATIONS

With regard to Sino-Soviet relations the Chinese Government is ready to consider the resumption of relations if Russia so desire on a basis of equality and reciprocity, but this does not prove that the Chinese Government is sympathetic with the Communist doctrine. The Chinese Government is watching the Russian-Japanese developments closely.

BRITAIN MUST STOP LENDING SAVINGS

REPORT OF FEDERATION OF BRITISH INDUSTRIES

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

LONDON, April 29.

"The time has come when we must bring to an end the policy of lending British savings and money to reconstruct the financial systems of our rivals in Europe." This highly controversial statement is contained in a Report to the Federation of British Industries dealing with the new monetary and industrial policy of Britain. It goes on:

"British finance henceforth must be devoted to British industries at home and in the Empire and to those countries outside which are prepared to cooperate in the British system offering for exchange goods and services of a non-competitive kind."

Sterling v. Gold Nations.

The Ottawa Conference, says the Report, should be seized as an opportunity to explore the possibilities of achieving a maximum mutual understanding for the adoption of a common Empire monetary and industrial policy so designed as to facilitate the admission of other countries willing and able to cooperate with the sterling-currency group, leaving the question of a possible universal monetary understanding to be settled later.

NEW INDIAN LOAN

OVERSUBSCRIBED IN ONE HOUR

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.)

Rugby, April 28. The outstanding feature in the stock markets to-day was the start of dealings in the new India 5 per cent. ten million pounds loan, which opened at a premium.

The loan was over-subscribed by a large margin and was open for only one hour yesterday.

It is understood that the basis of allotment among the larger subscribers was about forty-four per cent, slightly better treatment being given to small applicants.

Those who applied for £500 received £200 and those applying for £1,000 received £500. There was to-day a strong demand for the issue, which closed at seven-eighths premium.

MARYLEBONE, BYE-ELECTION

CONSERVATIVE RETAIN

(THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.)

LONDON, April 28. The Marylebone bye-election, caused by the retirement of Sir Rennell Rodd, resulted in the return of Captain Cunningham-Reid with 11,677 votes. Sir Basil Blackett, his opponent, polled 10,844. Both were Conservatives.

[Captain Alex. Stamford Cunningham-Reid had a distinguished war record, winning the D.F.C. and serving from 1914 to 1918. He was first elected to Parliament in 1922. Since the war he has been actively interested in aviation.]

ANOTHER BOMB FOUND

After the wounded had been removed the Japanese troops found another bomb near the fatal platform but who left it there has not yet been discovered.

NO INCIDENT AT NANKING

NANKING, April 29. The Japanese Consulate held a quiet celebration of the Emperor's birthday. Among those present were members of the foreign Consular bodies and prominent Chinese including Ku Chen Lun, the Garrison Commander, and Hsu Mo, the Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs.

General Ho Ying Ching has stated that he will leave this afternoon for Kiating to confer with the operations against the Communists.

Sports News

TO-DAY'S RACING AT HAPPY VALLEY.

GLENEAGLES AND HOTMAN DUE TO MEET AGAIN.
GOOD RACE FOR AGGREGATE STAKES.

SOME TIPS AND SELECTIONS FOR PUNTERS.

[By "MORNING DEW"]

Gleneagles and Hotman are due to meet again this afternoon and there ought to be a good race in the third Aggregate Stakes, whatever the start. Unquestionably these are the two best ponies racing in Hong Kong at the present time, with the possible exception of Sitting Bull, and although Hotman has recently gone under to Gleneagles over the mile, there are many who feel that he can stage a "come-back."

There are ten events due to be decided this afternoon and, apart from the Aggregate Stakes, the race for Australians, for ponies which have not won more than \$1,000 this year, should be most interesting. The prospects of several candidates in this race as well as in other races are dealt with in the article below.

CAN DON WIN TO-DAY IN LAST RACE?

The last race of the day is of special interest and there is, no doubt, now that Princess Hall, is not among the entries, that Don will be very much in demand. Don in fact has a good chance to win here, but he will not find things so easy. Toxine and Doctor's Mandate, the latter holding the record for this distance, are quite capable of giving him a good race, to say nothing of Daylight Eve and Tiana, each of which has won in this class before and might turn up again this afternoon. There are three candidates from the "star" stable and which ever pony Mr. Pan selects is sure to have something to say in the matter. In all probability, Bright Star will be sent out here, in which case he has a very good chance of winning. I see Wild Life is again entered, but I have given up nominating him as a likely placegetter as he has never started since the Annual Meeting, although he has been entered on several occasions.

Sitting Bull or Sacko.

Sitting Bull has gone down twice to Sacko over a mile and a quarter although he has accounted for Sacko over other distances, and this afternoon's race promises to be of special interest. The mile and a quarter appears to be Sacko's best distance and, with a concession of eight pounds from Sitting Bull, he is a big danger to the favourite. Not a few people, I am sure, will be backing Sacko this afternoon and it seems to me that the two ponies are going to figure in a thrilling finish. Sacko should just about get there.

Non-Winning Griffins.

The second race for non-winning griffins (novices up) should be most interesting but on his showing last week. The Gadwall, which will probably be ridden by Mr. Butler, should just about get in. Gebu finished in front of The Gadwall the last time they were out, but I have a feeling the order will be reversed this afternoon. Christmas Joy and Toby are good outside bets.

The Shoveller.

It seems as if the Shoveller will no longer be in the "D" Class as he has very little to beat in the six furlongs race. He carries top weight at 160 pounds, but is not likely to find that excessive, especially if the going is fast. Christmas Belle has a ten pounds handicap from him and might put up a good show. The pony ran very disappointingly at the last meeting, but might make good to-day. Sivrah appears to be the best of the remaining entries and is quite likely to get a place. Mistake is carrying only 140 pounds and although he is not likely to beat The Shoveller, an odd ticket on him for a place should not be an entire waste of money.

Chiu Quan Again.

On the performances at the last meeting Chiu Quan and Helvellyn are the outstanding ponies in this race and unless The Gadwall is kept back for this event, the race should fall to either of these ponies, with the odds slightly in favour of Chiu Quan. Six furlongs appear to be as good a place for Chiu Quan as he can get, while I have heard it whispered that Christmas Joy might account for an upset.

The Australians.

From the point of view of the punter, this is the best race of the day. The Raindrop, Evening Star and Wotin, and possibly Kilren, seem to be the best candidates here and a good race can be expected from them. Wotin has done quite well lately, but this afternoon he will be up against The Raindrop, which last season was about the next best. Australian Kitter, Woodland Stag, Evening Star also can shift when he is in the mood and, provided the field is sent off to an even start, there ought to be one of the best races seen during the entire season. Wotin is my selection, but if he is not sent away with the rest of the field he is likely to be beaten.

As The Raindrop and Evening Star will be very difficult to catch, once they are in front.

Gleneagles' Race.

On paper it would seem that the Third Aggregate Stakes is Gleneagles' race, and if any opposition is offered at all, it will be from Hotman. Hotman lost by a very small margin the last time these two met and Mr. "Gussy" Ross, who is riding Hotman to-day, might reverse the finishing order. Both ponies are in a very comfortable weight and, whatever happens, there will not be anything in the nature of a walk-over. A thrilling finish is expected. Cyclamen Bay is likely to be sent out to make the pace, and if the favourite chooses to run a slow race, they might find Cyclamen Bay a thorn in their sides in the finishing straight.

An Open Race.

The Mount Parker Handicap, "C" Class, is a very open race and there are many ponies which might conceivably win the race, including Bistre, Chivalrous, Imperial Hall, Indiana, Kate, King's Parade, Little Beaver, Punch and Wembley Star.

When one comes to look over the weights, Punch with 140 pounds appears to have the biggest claim here. Indiana also looks very attractive at 133 pounds. Kate is probably starting in another race, otherwise his 155 pounds should earn for him a good deal of support. Little Beaver at 155 looks a good thing, but the mile and a quarter might prove his undoing. The others I have named do not look so good on paper, but it would not surprise me in the least to see any of them win. Wembley Star, with Mr. Frost on the saddle, might even be made favourite, and, possibly, might win, though his chances are not so bright because he is conceding 14 pounds to Punch.

Unsuccessful Subs.

The eighth race for unsuccessful subs ought to attract a good field. Until this disappointed last week, but it is more than likely that he will do well to-day, especially as the distance is now shorter. Valley Hall is another good candidate and Hirwego ran well enough last Saturday to claim recognition as a likely placegetter.

"E" Class.

For the "E" Class race over seven furlongs, the handicapper has given top weight to Lucky Bird (185 pounds) and Pocahontas (183 pounds). In spite of this, these two candidates are likely to be very prominent and the race should fall to one or the other. Highjinks and Jupiter are the other likely to get a place and I have heard it whispered that White Label will have something to say in this race.

The Last Race.

There are three candidates from the "Star" stable entered for the last race of the day and whichever pony is sent out should be good enough to have a sporting chance to win. Bright Star is probably the stable's choice and he can be confidently expected to put up a good race. Daylight Eve, Daylight Eve and possibly Tiana are sure starters and, inasmuch as they have all a sporting chance to win, this last event of the day should prove very interesting.

SELECTIONS.

Race 1.
Sacko
Sitting Bull
Gold Key

Race 2.
The Gadwall
Cobu
Christmas Joy

Race 3.
The Shoveller
Christmas Belle
Sivrah

Race 4.
Chiu Quan

(Continued at foot of next column.)

SERVICE SOCCER

ARTILLERY BEAT KENT IN SENIOR FINAL.

SIX GOALS TO TWO VICTORY.

A fast game of football resulted in the final of the Services senior competition which was played at the Club ground yesterday. The Royal Artillery showed better combination and they deserved their victory by six goals to two over H.M.S. Kent.

The team lined out as under:—
Royal Artillery:—Cambio; Frost; Taylor; Gough; Perdue; Rogers; Allan; Moore; Woods; Bryant; Walker.

H.M.S. Kent:—E. A. Longley; Moe. Frame; Moe. Little; A.B. Schofield; Moe. Henahaw; Sto. Mo. Lean; A.B. Flindall; Moe. Hills; Sto. Stephenson; Moe. Hayward; Cpl. Green.

The First Half.

The sailors started to attack early in the game, but several good movements were spoiled by erratic shooting and off-side play. It was not long before the Artillery commenced a severe bombardment and the Kent custodian, Longley, saved nearly half a dozen shots until Bryant beat him by playing in the corner of the net.

A beautiful shot just below the horizontal was sent by Moore in scoring the second goal for the Artillery, and they nearly scored again from a corner after the custodian had been drawn out, but Little cleared the ball which was heading into the net.

Half-time: Artillery 2, Kent 0.

Gunsners Increase Lead.
As in the first half, the sailors resumed in a dashing way, but the Artillery soon showed their superiority by keeping up a strong attack in the course of which Allan, receiving from the left wing, netted the third goal. Kent had a good chance to score with a header, but the opportunity was lost. However, Hayward, a few minutes later, headed the ball into the net.

Flindall, the Artillery right winger, sent a fast ground shot which Longley saved. Walker sent across from the left wing for Woods to score the fourth goal for the Artillery. Moore added the fifth with a low shot into the corner of the net. Later he was unlucky in his shot striking the horizontal and bouncing back, and he followed it up with a header which went wide. However, he was cheered in the next minute for placing the ball in the corner of the net from long range.

With six goals to one against them, the sailors worked hard to reduce the lead, but they were only able to add one more goal through Stephenson.

Final score: Artillery 6, Kent 2.

Shield Presented.

Before the presentation of the shield and miniature cups, Comdr. Morris said that the competition started in 1912. Since then the Army had won eighteen times and the Navy six times. Last year H.M.S. Medway were the winners, while the previous year it was the K.O.S.B. The Artillery had won the Shield twice before.

Mrs. Saville, wife of Col. Saville, President of the Hong Kong Area Sports Board, was then asked to hand over the Shield and miniature cups to the Royal Artillery team and three rousing cheers were accorded to her at the close.

TENNIS LEAGUE.

ENTRIES CLOSING TO-DAY.

As usual, the yearly club competitions will take place during the summer months, and this year play commences in the first week of June. Interest is still as great as ever, and already players of the various clubs concerned have begun serious practices, while rivalry for honours at the moment is also very keen. Entries, which close to-day, are expected to reach last year's level.

The "Indian" Recreation Club are the holders of the "A" and Mixed Doubles Division Shields, while the Chinese Recreation Club hold the "B" and "C" Division Shields.

Entries:
Helvellyn
Gold Bar
Wotin
The Raindrop
Evening Star
Gleneagles
Hotman
Cyclamen Bay
Punch
Indians
Wembley Star
Valley Hall
Hirwego
Until Then
Pocahontas
Lucky Bird
Highjinks
Bright Star
Daylight Eve
Don

INTER-SCHOOL SPORTS

ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE WINS CHAMPIONSHIP.

FOUR RECORDS BROKEN.

St. Joseph's College, which won the annual inter-school sports meeting which was held at the Club ground yesterday in the presence of a large gathering of spectators.

Keen rivalry was evidenced throughout, and the shouting and cheering of the boys of the various schools and colleges which participated made one wish to be a school-boy again. St. Joseph's College and Central British School struggled for supremacy, and the excitement could be gauged when the two schools tied with 18 points each until the last event, the Modley Relay Race, which was eventually won by St. Joseph's College after a keen struggle.

The events of which records were broken were the long jump, high jump, 220 yards and shotput. In the long jump, event Yung Ki Fong (St. Paul's College) broke the previous record by 4 inches. The previous record was 30 feet 3 inches and was held by Chin Ping Han (St. Stephen's College).

In the High Jump event Chor Keng Chu (St. Stephen's College) cleared 5 feet 2 inches to beat the previous record by half an inch. Ruggie, Reed (Diocesan Boys' School) clipped off one second from the former record when he covered the 220 yards in 24 1/3 secs.

Perhaps the biggest margin by which a record was broken was the shotput event. Vargassoff (King's College) threw 42 feet 10 inches to beat the former record by 10 feet 3 inches.

D. S. Blake (Central British School) won the individual championship with 10 points with Tam Yung Nee (St. Stephen's College) as runner-up with 3 points.

Results:

The results were as follows:—
100 Yards.—1. Roscoe (C.B.S.); 2. Tam Yung Nee (S.S.C.); 3. Reed (D.B.S.). Time: 17 secs.
Long Jump.—1. Yung Ki Fong (St. Paul's College); 2. A. Hussain (S.J.C.); 3. Tam Yung Nee (S.S.C.). Distance: 30 feet, 7 1/2 inches, record.
220 Yards.—1. Reed (D.B.S.); 2. J. Sullivan (S.J.C.); 3. B. Everest (S.J.C.). Time: 24 1/3 secs, record.
One Mile.—1. D. S. Blake (C.B.S.); 2. Leung Kam To (Queen's College); 3. Yim Chi Ko (Munsang College).
Shotput.—1. Vargassoff (King's College); 2. Tam Yung Nee (D.B.S.); 3. Chor Keng Ju (S.S.C.). Distance: 42 feet 10 inches, record.
Quarter Mile.—1. J. Sequira (S.J.C.); 2. B. Laurel (S.J.C.); 3. Fung Shing Chi (D.B.S.). Time: 58 secs.
High Jump.—1. Chor Keng Ju (S.S.C.); 2. A. Hussain (S.J.C.); 3. Banker (D.B.S.) and Liang Teng Jong (Ying Wah College) tied. Height: 5 feet 3 inches, record.
Half Mile.—1. D. S. Blake (C.B.S.); 2. Phillips (C.B.S.); 3. Yim Chi Ko (Munsang College). Time: 2 mins. 31 secs.
120 Yards High Hurdles.—1. Tam Yung Nee (S.S.C.); 2. Liang Teng Cheung (Y.W.C.); 3. Cheung Chi Yan (Munsang College). Time: 19 secs.
Modley Relay Race.—1. St. Joseph's College; 2. Central British School; 3. Diocesan Boys' School.

The following schools and colleges participated:—
St. Joseph's College, Diocesan Boys' School, Queen's College, King's College, Central British School, Munsang College, St. Paul's College, St. Stephen's College and Ying Wah College.

U.S. BASEBALL

THURSDAY'S RESULTS

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

New York, April 28.

To-day's baseball games resulted as follows:

National League.
Philadelphia 5, Brooklyn 11.
Pittsburg 6, Cincinnati 7.
Chicago 11, St. Louis 7.

American League.
New York 5, Boston 1.
Washington 10, Philadelphia 4.
Cleveland 11, Chicago 9.
St. Louis 5, Detroit 4.

AMATEUR GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

TIPPET ENTERS FIFTH ROUND

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

London, April 28.
In the fifth round of the British Amateur Golf Championship over the 18th Green at Sandwich, Kent, Tippet (North Devon) defeated Elkins by four up and two to play.

FANLING GOLF

STARTING TIMES FOR SUNDAY.

New Course.

9.39 a.m. Mrs. R. A. Rodgers and Miss C. C. Munro.

Old Course.

9.10 to 9.20 a.m. not to be booked by travellers on 9.39 train.

9.24 a.m. T. S. Pykes and D. S. Bobb.

9.39 a.m. A. R. McEachran and J. D. Danby.

9.52 a.m. R. A. Rodgers and W. Muijaly.

9.58 a.m. A. Kidd and E. Kern.

9.40 a.m. Frank Austin and P. S. Grant.

9.44 a.m. G. C. Worrall and R. J. Cherrill.

9.48 a.m. O. E. C. Marton and J. W. Alabaster.

9.59 a.m. Lt. H. C. Gould and Cdr. R. H. McBean.

9.56 a.m. G. T. Thack and E. R. Sandstrom.

10.00 a.m. A. O. I. Bowker and A. K. Mackenzie.

10.04 a.m. H. W. M. Dulle and J. D. H. Crawford.

10.08 a.m. J. B. Ross and I. H. Geare.

10.12 a.m. Hon. Cdr. G. F. H. Hole and L. R. Andrews.

10.16 a.m. D. M. Richards and H. B. Wallington.

10.20 a.m. W. J. Hughes and H. W. Dukes.

10.24 a.m. L. Yates and E. de Voeux.

10.28 a.m. W. C. Shields and G. R. Horridge.

10.32 a.m. Col. C. R. Saville and W. J. Waddington.

10.36 a.m. Capt. J. H. Anderson and C. W. F. Booker.

10.40 a.m. J. R. Maeson and R. Stock.

10.44 a.m. C. H. G. Bradley and T. S. Whyte-Smith.

10.48 a.m. J. F. Robinson and A. M. Macaulay.

10.52 a.m. Col. J. A. Renshaw and Major J. E. Fasken.

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HOME FOOTBALL

TEAMS IN THE ENGLISH LEAGUE.

ALL PLAYING TO-DAY.

English League teams will be engaged in a full programme of football matches to-day, the following being the fixtures:

Division I.

Arsenal	Middlesbrough
Birmingham	Chelsea
Blackburn	Aston Villa
Blackpool	Huddersfield
Derby	Liverpool
Everton	Bolton
Manchester C.	Wednesday
Portsmouth	Leicester
Sheffield U.	Newcastle
Sunderland	West Ham
West Brom.	Grimsby

Division II.

Barnsley	Charlton
Brentford	Preston N.E.
Cardiff	Manchester U.
Coventry	Notts Forest
Exeter	Southampton
Fulham	Burnley
Gillingham	Wolves
Luton	Tottenham
Norwich	Bradford
Reading	Chesterfield
Southend	Stoke
Thames	

Division III. (South).

Bournemouth	
Norwich	
Watford	
Crystal P.	
Bristol R.	
Mansfield	
Brighton	
Swindon	
Clifton O.	
Torquay	
Queen's P. R.	

Division III. (North).

Stockport	
Carlisle	
Doncaster	
Tranmere	
Southport	
Crewe	
Accrington	
Wrexham	
Rotherham	
York	

HOME FOOTBALL

HALIFAX BEAT YORK CITY

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

London, April 28.
As Halifax to-day, in the Third Division (North), Halifax defeated York City by four goals to one.

DAVIS CUP TENNIS

U.S.A. v. CANADA

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

WASHINGTON, April 28.

The United States made almost certain of winning their Davis Cup tie with Canada to-day by winning the first two matches. Weight, the Canadian champion, put up a great fight against Ellsworth Vines, taking him to five sets.

The results were:
Allison (U.S.A.) defeated Bainville (Canada), 6-3, 6-4, 6-4.
Ellsworth Vines (U.S.A.) beat Jack Wright (Canada), 8-6, 3-6, 6-4, 3-6, 6-3.

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THE CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FIFTY-FIRST ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the Office of the undersigned on Thursday, the 19th May, 1932, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents, together with a statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December, 1931.

The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the 5th to the 18th May, 1932, both days inclusive.

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CONCERT.

CHINA LIGHT & POWER RECREATION CLUB. King's Park Enclosure. BAND OF F.M.S. "CORNWALL" and several WELL KNOWN LOCAL ARTISTS. Saturday, 30th April, 1932, 8.00 p.m. Admission \$1.10 (including tax).

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THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE FIFTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 30th APRIL, 1932, commencing at 1.45 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.15 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed. No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 for Gentlemen and \$3.00 for Ladies (both including Tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon introduction by a Member, such Member to be responsible for Payment of All Obit.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course. On No pretext will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting. Tickets are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Box in advance. Telephone 21920.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$2.00, including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform are admitted Half Price. Bookmakers, Tip Men, etc., will not be permitted to operate within the Precincts of the Hong Kong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting. Tickets will be obtainable in the Restaurant in the Public Enclosure.

By Order,
S. A. SLEAP,
Acting Secretary
Hong Kong, 25th April, 1932.

THE MACAO JOCKEY CLUB.

NOTICE.
RACE MEETING, 2nd MAY, 1932, at MACAO.

THIS MEETING will be held as the POSTPONED MEETING OF 17th APRIL, and all conditions (Handicaps etc.) will hold as applicable to this Meeting as if it had been held on the 17th April.

The Two Dollars Cash Sweeps sold for the 5th Race on 8th May, 1932, will be drawn on the 5th Race of this Meeting.

By order of the Stewards,
W. L. ALEXANDER,
Secretary.
Hong Kong, 28th April, 1932.

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10.30 p.m.—Rugby mid-day Press news.

11.30 p.m.—Close down.

All records in the above European programmes are supplied by Messrs. Tsang Fook Piano Co.

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WEEK-END RADIO PROGRAMMES.

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DANCE MUSIC TO-NIGHT

11 to 11.30 a.m.—Stock quotations.
11.30 a.m.—Chinese programme.

12.30 p.m.—European programme of Victor records.

1 p.m.—Local time and weather report.

1.30 p.m.—Mail notice, etc.

2 p.m.—Close down.

4 to 7 p.m.—Chinese programme.

7 to 11.30 p.m.—European programme of Victor records.

7 p.m.—Mail notice, etc.

7.03 to 7.45 p.m.—

Variety.

Song—"When We're Alone."

Song—"Snuggled on Your Shoulder."—Sylvia Froos (Comedienne)—22924.

Song—"Just Friends."

Song—"You're My Everything."—Russ Columbo (Baritone)—22909.

Organ Solo—"Carolina's Calling Me."

Organ Solo—"Call Me Darling."—Jesse Crawford—22901.

Humorous Song—"Little by Little."

Humorous Song—"Every Day Away From You."—Johnny Marvin—22076.

Song—"When the Cactus is in Bloom."

Song—"Gambling Polka Dot Blues."—Jimmie Rodgers with guitar—22936.

Humorous Song—"I'm a Specialist."

Humorous Song—"Taught Me How to Play the Second Fiddle."—Frank Crumit—22930.

7.45 to 8 p.m.—

Orchestral.

"Echoes from the Volga" (Ritter)—Maddolin Concert Orchestra—V-50020.

"Boccaccio—Excerpts" (Vgn Suppl)—Marek Weber and his Orchestra—22930.

8 p.m.—Local time and weather report.

8.03 to 8.43 p.m.—

A Concert.

Piano Solo—"Fantaisie—Impromptu" (Chopin).

Piano Solo—"Caprice" (Gluck-Saint-Saens)—Harold Bauer—6546.

Song—"Fiddle and I" (Wetherly-Goodve).

Song—"Angel's Serenade" (Mullard-Braga)—Eulda Lashanska (Soprano)—1546.

Violin Solo—"Melodie Arabe" (Glasounow-Kochanski).

Violin Solo—"Sicilienne and Nigadon" (Francoeur-Kreisler)—Sadah Shuchari—4114.

Song—"Wanderlied" (A Wanderer's Song) (Schumann).

Song—"Am Meer" (By the Sea) (Schubert)—Friedrich Schorr (Baritone)—7473.

Piano Solo—"Fairy Tale" (Medtner).

Piano Solo—"Suggestion Diabolique" (Prokofiev)—Benno Moisevitsh—1448.

8.43 to 9.20 p.m.—

Operatic.

"Samson and Delilah"—Bacchante (Saint-Seans).

"Damnation of Faust—Rakoczy March" (Berlioz)—Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of Leopold Stokowski—8823.

"The Queen of Sheba Ballet Music" (Goldmark)—Chicago Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of Frederick Stock—7474.

"La Traviata—Potpourri" (Verdi)—Marek Weber and his Orchestra—V-50015.

"Rigoletto—Fantasy" (Verdi, arr. Tavan)—Marek Weber and his Orchestra—V-50025.

9.20 to 9.30 p.m.—

Variations Symphoniques (Cesar Franck)—Played by

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M.C.L. ANNUAL MEETING.

MRS. WOOD ELECTED PRESIDENT.

ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL YEAR.

The annual general meeting of the Hong Kong Women's Guild and Ministering Children's League was held at Government House yesterday when Lady Peel presided over a large gathering of members.

The Report and Balance Sheet for 1931 was adopted without discussion. Mrs. H. T. Cressy, M.B.E., the President, in a brief speech, referred with regret to the departure of Lady Peel from the Colony and announced a number of changes in the Committee for 1932, the new Committee being given below.

Lady Peel's Speech.

Lady Peel, Patroness of the M.C.L., then said: "I wish to take this opportunity of thanking, on behalf of the members of the Committee, our President, Mrs. Cressy for all that she has done in connection with the Ministering Children's League and Hong Kong Women's Guild. She joined the Committee as General Honorary Secretary on October 1924, and in April, 1929, became acting President in addition to her other duties. In February, 1930, Mrs. Cressy was elected President. As no-one could be found to take over the duties of General Honorary Secretary, she said that she would continue to act in that capacity for 1932, and would ask Mrs. Southern if she would consent to be President.

"On her return from leave, Mrs. Cressy was elected President in March, 1932, and was Vice-President in 1931. She has been President for the last two years.

"I am sure that you will all agree that the success of the league has been due in a very large measure to Mrs. Cressy's efforts. We are very sorry indeed that she is going to leave us soon, and we shall all miss her very much. She has been most kind and helpful to me while I have been here, and I cannot thank her enough for all that she has done for me." (Applause.)

A vote of thanks of Her Ladyship for taking the Chair and to His Excellency the Governor for lending Government House for the meeting was then proposed and carried with acclamation.

New Committee.

The following is the Committee for 1932:

President: Mrs. H. E. Wood.

Vice-President: Mrs. Eldon Porter.

Hon. Gen. Secretary: Mrs. R. M. Henderson.

Assistant Hon. Secretary: Mrs. H. R. Forsyth.

Hon. Treasurer: Mrs. D. W. Troutman.

The full list of Branch Representatives is not yet available, but will be published in the near future.

The Report.

The report indicated another very successful year by the League, both regarding activities and finance. The following extracts are taken from it:

It was decided this year to have a series of events—general and branch ones—as it was felt this was not the time to hold the usual big Fete. People have been very undecided in their opinions as to whether this was a good arrangement or not but the results prove the Committee were right in their decision for the amount of \$18,458 has been collected. A very good year indeed.

The Committee's most grateful thanks are due to all the generous help they have received during the past year from their many friends and supporters. It would be impossible to enumerate all the names but very special thanks are due to Mr. J. H. Taggart and Mr. Tang Shiu Kin for their tremendous help and generosity throughout the year; to the Press of the Colony who are always so ready to assist in every way; to Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews for kindly auditing the accounts; to Mr. W. J. Anderson and his helpers for being in charge of the 500th anniversary of the day of the Children's Fete; to the Hon. J. P. Braga, Mr. and Mrs. Ho Long and Mrs. Horace Lo for running the Bridge and Mah Jong Party on March 8.

The Register of the Guild and League for the year 1931 shows 422 adults and 944 children.

Those Present.

The following ladies were present:—Lady Peel, Mrs. H. T. Cressy, Mrs. P. W. Troutman, Mrs. A. H. Walker, Mrs. Dunstanville, Mrs. A. Murdoch, Mrs. E. R. Hallifax, Mrs. T. H. King, Mrs. R. K. Simpson, Mrs. E. P. Fletcher, Mrs. H. H. Scott, Mrs. J. W. Fraser, Mrs. M. S. Atkins, Mrs. E. Yoo M.B.E., Mrs. L. Hoang, Mrs. R. M. Henderson, Mrs. J. R. Wood, Mrs. Eldon Porter, Mrs. E. R. Hallifax, Mrs. J. H. Taggart, Mrs. D. D. Brooks, Lady Mary Bayton, Mrs. C. F. Gallimore, Mrs. Bockett.

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SUN LIFE OF CANADA.

PROGRESSING DURING DIFFICULT YEAR.

The directors' report to the policyholders and shareholders of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada, for the year 1931, states in part:—

In spite of the adverse conditions prevailing, your Company has made gratifying progress during the year.

New policies issued and paid for numbered 147,246 for a net amount of \$37,939,414.57. This figure has been exceeded on only two occasions in the Company's history. Of the total \$34,519,975.00 was in respect of policies on the Group plan.

It is gratifying to report a substantial development in sales in the Group Annuities Department. This new form of service affords to employers a convenient and economical means of providing pensions for their employees.

A feature of the year has been that assurances in force have now passed the three billion dollar mark, a figure reached by very few companies in the world. The total actually outstanding at Dec. 31, after deducting amount reassured, was \$3,051,077,068.55, an increase over the previous year of \$187,375,487.03. Making allowance for terminations by death and maturity, this gain would compare favourably with general experience in even normal times. For many years past the Company has been outstanding for the persistency of its business, and this record has been fully maintained, having regard to the financial pressure under which many policyholders, in common with the public generally, are labouring; this provides impressive evidence of the high value placed by our policyholders on their contracts, and testifies a confidence in the Company of which we are deeply appreciative.

Policies in force now number 923,694, while in addition 240,910 certificates of assurance are held by employees under the Group plan. Payments to policyholders and beneficiaries in respect of death claims, matured endowments, profits, etc., amounted to \$33,235,849.08. These payments exceed the total annual assurances issued by the Company nine years ago. Since organization the amounts paid to policyholders or their representatives total \$284,185,418.39 a service of impressive social significance.

The mortality among our policyholders has been exceptionally favourable, showing a substantial reduction even against the highly favourable ratio of 1930.

The total income for the year was \$197,140,162.59, an increase of \$10,477,849.38. The excess of income over total disbursements for the year was \$80,630,785.54.

The total assets have advanced to \$624,804,455.00.

The rate of interest earned on the mean invested assets was 5.13 per cent.

The surplus over all liabilities and capital stock amounts to \$16,345,515.31.

Profits paid or allotted to policyholders during the year have amounted to \$30,028,124.80.

ATLANTIC CUTS.

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Still further reductions in Atlantic fares are announced by the Cunard Company following the drastic reduction in some cases of as much as 50 per cent—agreed to by various Atlantic steamship lines at the North Atlantic passenger conference at Buenos Aires this week. The new revisions will take effect immediately.

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14,000-ton 219 to 221 225

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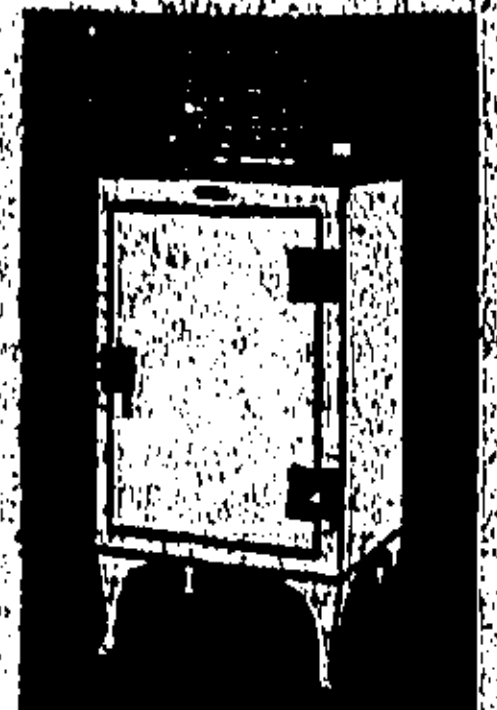
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MR. PEPPYS IN HONG KONG.

32nd.—This day being the festival of St. George, our patron Saint of England I up betimes and trim myself with some care. But much it takes me that I can come by no red rose. And so at eleven of the clock I do, following my yearly custom, make my salutation at the Consulate and thereafter drink a silent toast to my good friends who departed this life in such honour. But Lord! I had but little time for sad memories as this day I do move to fresh office premises which though I am not so much in luck, I doubt are more convenient, and further from the centre of the town. And so too think Mrs. Betty, my stenotypist, or I sadly misjudge her part method of powdering her comely visage, and I do perceive that she will give me notice at the month's end. Finally settled in a little and to the Snakpelt where I find Sir L. Harpenden and his lady with whom I hold some discourse of my wife, who, poor wretch, hath woken an imposthume or it may be water upon the ankle which grieves me mightily. But Lord! I would fain be there were it but to hear Mr. T. Claxton's disputations at Contract Bridge with his teacher which become so fiery the Captain asks if they be man and wife, for so it soundeth to him. Whereby I perceive that he is a cynic. And so, talking contentedly I do discover it lacks but a quarter of two when the Crickets should start and I scoring thereon. So with but scant nunchen and but one draught of Hollands waters to the rearing box and very busy. But the Crickets brings me sure information. Seeing Mr. E. Mitchell after, I ask him if he shall be captain of the team, but he tells me he has no sure news of it. And after I fall talking with Creed and Pevy and dine not until a half after nine of the clock which is most monstrous late hours and I must for the future amend it.

25th Lord's Day.—Lay late having been very late the night before and then by car to the Punks where my good friend Mr. Irish and his lady make me good cheer and at her request I drink what they term a cockle, a palatable mixture, but I doubt it doth sad seethe to a man's belly should he drink them immediately. So I back to my "Hollands" waters. And after we eat our nunchen I fall to cutting the brushwood that sprouts upon the slope and so very busy for two hours. But Lord! what a mucke went I am in, and so hastily to bathe and trim myself. And so very pleasantly home and to bed.

26th.—Waking this morning I lie in great fear that I am of a sudden smitten with a palsy of the right arm and shoulder. But while I consider what vows of amendment of my conduct I may proffer against my recovery, I do remember all my axe chopping yesterday and come to a knowledge that it be but muscle-stiffness; and so the vows do be forgotten I fear. Reading in the news sheets, I see Mr. Lall Singh goes to England with the Indian team. But Lord! if such be his form of skill, must needs have been sadly diminished in his playing either by illness or by very busy setting my office, and as I did fear I find Mrs. Betty's nose be tilted even more than usual. Not that I would be at a lounde if the wench left me, save that she spells pretty well and corrects my orthography.

27th.—Very busy, and to my churymong who thrusts a needle deep into my arm against the typhoid, and so to the Club where I drink a glass or two of Mlango wine, but Lord! what a dizziness takes my head, which I learn later is from the doctor's injection and not from my drinking overmuch liquor. Yet did it pass off and I to the Crickets Club where the Selectors do pick the eleven for the North and pin a list upon the board. Arion comes Mr. R. Albit my good friend whom I have known ever since I can bring ought to mind. And I am all agog to hear his comments, as knowing so much of the game, and this I know to be true as he hath so told me himself. But Lord! to my extraordinary disappointment he do but read it down, and walks away, scoffing his hate and whistling a waltz air from the Oratorio called "South". The meaning of which I must ask him anon.

27th.—This day very fair as all days lately God be thanked, and in the Club bar I do meet my old friend Mr. R. Shaw of the King's great ship Kent. And drinking a flaggon of ale he tells me he plays crickets come Saturday for a team of his Majesty's forces which meets the Interport selections. And I am right glad of it as he is a market striker and most pleasant to behold. In the news sheets I see yet another car nearly falls into the harbor and it seems a pity more stern punishment be not meted out to these careless drivers.

28th.—Reading in the news sheets, I do realize once more how ignorant I am of the Chinese—coolies do, for here a man doth asseverate that he hath done a murder and uric repeat it. But seven good men and true do assure him he hath not, and so he getteth knowledge to Kowloon to Mr. Creed's where Lord! his bitch chow that once

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HONG KONG STOCK MARKET.

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS.

Markets opened steadier yesterday morning, but the volume of business was not on a very large scale, owing to scarcity of sellers.

Sales.

Canton Insurance \$1,200.
Raaba \$34.
Hong Kong Leads \$70.
Hong Kong Trams \$92.
Telephones (P.P.) \$24.
Canton Ice \$6.
Cements (New) \$6.
Hong Kong Ropes \$144.
Lane, Crawford (Old) \$3.90.

Buyers.

Canton Insurance \$1,250.
Union Insurance \$450.
Doughlass \$27.
Benguel Explorations 30 cents.
Providents (New) \$2.30.
Hong Kong Leads \$70.
Chinese Estates \$904.
Ewo Cottons Tls. 13.30 ex div.
Hong Kong Trams \$120.
Yammuti Ferries \$344 ex div.
China Lights (Old) \$21.
Hong Kong Electric \$73.
Telephones (P.P.) \$24.15.
Canton Ice \$6.
Cements (Combined) \$13.70.
Hong Kong Ropes \$14.10.
Lane, Crawford (Old) \$6.80.
Mackintosh \$104 ex div.
Constructions (Old) \$5.60.
Constructions (New) \$11.
Government Loans 4 per cent. premium.

Sellers.

Kailan Mining Ad. 25/8.
South China Motors "B" \$12.
S.C. Enterprises \$3.90.

WEEKLY REPORT.

Whilst there were no spectacular changes in the past week, the market retained a consistently steady undertone, this despite the intervening Settlement. So far as is known, even while liquidation for settlement account was in progress, no parcel of shares was allowed to go obliging, but at once found ready buyers at a slight concession. Closing tone is steady to firm.

CLOSING RATES.

Buyers.
Hong Kong Bank \$1,500.
Union Insurance \$450.
Providents (Old) \$1.90.
Hong Kong Leads \$70.
Ewo Cottons Tls. 13.30 ex div.

Sales During the Week.

Hong Kong Bank \$1,500.
Canton Insurance \$1,200.
Raaba \$34.
Providents (Old) \$4.70 to \$4.90.
Providents (New) \$2.27 to \$2.35.
Hong Kong Hotels (Cum Rights) \$13.10 to \$13.20.
Hong Kong Leads \$70.
Hong Kong Realty \$11.55.
Hong Kong Trams \$22 to \$23.
Star Ferries \$904.
China Lights (Old) \$21.10 to \$21.20.
Hong Kong Electric \$73.
Telephones (P.P.) \$24 to \$24.15.
Canton Ice \$6.
Cements (Combined) \$13.35 to \$13.45.
Cements (New) \$6.
Hong Kong Ropes \$14.
Lane, Crawford (Old) \$6.90.
Constructions (Old) \$5.55.
Kailan Mining 25/8.
Ewo Cottons Tls. 13.05 Cum Div.
Ewo Cottons Tls. 13.60 ex div.
Government Loans 4 per cent. premium.

SHANGHAI SHARES.

LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS.

Messrs. Carroll Bros. have received the following cabled quotations of Shanghai shares.
China Finance Corp. Tls. 6.80.
International Investment Trust Co. (Ord.) Tls. 6.00.
Cathay Land Tls. 10.75 ex div.
Yangtze Finance Co. Tls. 6.50.
International Assurance Co. 4.10.
China Realty Co. Tls. 11.40.
Shanghai Lands Tls. 23.40.
New Engineering Tls. 5.95.
Shanghai Docks Tls. 88.
Shanghai and Hongkew Wharves Tls. 225.
Shanghai Electric "Bearer" Tls. 25.75.
Ewo Cotton Mills Tls. 13.30.
Shanghai Cotton Mills Tls. 76.
Zong Sing Cottons Tls. 10.25.
American Asiatic Underwriters Tls. 38 ex div.
American Oriental Finance Tls. 24.
Asia Realty "Bearer" Tls. 25.

do bite me upon the nose do now bite his wife, who I perceive do make less ado of it than I did. Spoke sternly to the dog, but she did but wag her tail and lick my hand, and I doubt she has no vice in her.

29th.—Mail day very busy all day at the office where Mrs. Betty seemeth more contented and I begin to suspect that the brusquerie of her bearing was but the outward sign of a disputation with what she termeth her boyfriend.

ST. JOHN'S AMBULANCE BRIGADE.

FINE WORK AT SHANGHAI.

A WARM TRIBUTE FROM DR. F. C. YEN.

Mr. A. Morris, the Commissioner for the Hong Kong St. John's Ambulance Brigade has received a cordial letter, signed by Dr. F. C. Yen, from the Chinese Red Cross General Hospital. The letter is as follows:—

Dear Mr. Morris, As the remaining unit of your Brigade is leaving for Hong Kong tomorrow, I take this opportunity to express to you and through you to all those in Hong Kong who have helped in making it possible in sending this relief to us, our appreciation and gratitude. This I am sure not only voices the citizens in Shanghai, but also Chinese all over the country.

During the two months of their service in Shanghai members of the Brigade have shown a wonderful spirit of service and cooperation. Their willingness to work in whatever hospital with devotion and enthusiasm makes it easier for those of us who are trying to meet this emergency work in the most effective way.

On behalf of the Red Cross General Hospital, I wish to thank you for the contribution of your ambulance and the unused portion of your supplies and comforts. Both of these contributions will be most useful to us. As you know our own ambulance was burnt by the Japanese and with the increase of our permanent hospital accommodation from 200 to 284 beds, this extra supply comes very handy.

So again let me express our appreciation for all what you have done for us this time.

With cordial greetings,
(Sd.) F. C. YEN.

LOCAL ESTATES.

LATE MR. H. HYNDMAN LEAVES \$40,600.

Probate of the will and codicil in connection with local estate worth \$40,600 left by the late Mr. Henricus Hyndman, late secretary to Messrs. W. S. Bailey & Co. Ltd., shipbuilders, Hok On, Kowloon, who died at No. 27, Jordan Road, Kowloon, on January 21, 1932, at the age of 74, has been granted to Mr. Francisco Xavier Soares, of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank, Hong Kong, one of the two executors, with power reserved for making a like grant to Mr. Pedro Jose Lobo, the other executor.

Local estate worth \$6,300 was left by the late Mr. Alfred John Scott, shipmaster, late of Cuba Cottage, No. 103, Dundee Road, Broughton Ferry, Warr. Forfar, Scotland, who died on August 10, 1931. Resolving of testamentary executor has been granted to Mr. Alan Reid, of the Chartered Bank, Hong Kong, who is attorney for the sole executrix, Mrs. Elizabeth Davis McInroy, of Scott, widow of Cuba Cottage, to whom everything is bequeathed.

The late Mrs. Adorinda Doolinda Azezo Gutierrez, who died intestate at 571, Nathan Road, Kowloon, on January 26, 1932, and late of 6, Camavon Road, Kowloon, left Hong Kong estate valued at \$2,200. Letters of administration have been granted to the widower, Mr. Joan Banista Gutierrez, 47, Wing Lok Building.

Letters of administration to the estate of the late Li Wing-sum, alias Li Yee (or Yue)-wing, who died at Lung Pin Village, Tso Shan District, Kwangtung, on February 22, 1932, have been granted to the widow, Li Tam-shi, temporarily living at 181, Hennessy Road, Hong Kong. Local estate amounts to \$23,300.

LEAGUE LOAN FLOTATION

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, April 23.
The Financial Secretary to the Treasury, Major Elliot, was in the House of Commons to-day asked whether, before acquiescing in the flotation in Britain of loans issued in agreement with France under the supervision of the League of Nations, a stipulation would be made that the French Government should allow the French issuing houses to float, in France, League loans in the same proportion as they were floated in Britain. He replied that while British gave cordial support to the financial policy of reconstruction, which these loans form a part of, was thought to leave it to the markets to decide as to the placing of foreign loans issued in furtherance of that policy. In the circumstances of the present time, he thought the principles suggested would command wide assent, and he would convey them to the Chancellor.

THE THOUSAND GUINEAS.

KANDY WINS AT 33 TO 1

[THIRDSIDE RACING AGENCY.]

The following is the result of the Thousand Guineas:—
Kandy 1
Thordeman 2
Safe Return 3
There were nineteen runners. Won by one length, the same between second and third.
Betting.
Kandy 33/1
Thordeman 20/1
Safe Return 100/8

U.S. TARIFF BILL

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

WASHINGTON, April 28.—The House of Representatives to-day passed the Tariff Bill sponsored by the Democrats. It has been predicted that President Hoover will veto it.

ALEXANDER BRAILOWSKY.

PIANOFORTE RECITAL AT KING'S THEATRE.

Alexander Brailowsky "super-pianist"—thus he is billed and one supposes that this young Russian feels that that is what he must be if he is to extract a living from a largely unmusical world. Is Brailowsky like one of the Paganis? One suspects so at moments when he is playing Chopin. Does he perhaps in those moments hear the crack of the whip and recollect himself—remember that what he is required to be is not an artist but a "super-pianist"? If so here is yet another Russian tragedy.

Brailowsky strikes one as being more technician than musician. His execution is amazingly brilliant and no one can fail to be impressed by it, but in his recital last night it was not until the fifth item on the programme, Chopin's Ballade in C Minor, that the interest and beauty of the music was allowed to predominate over the execution. That item was entirely satisfying, a musical treat such as we seldom have the privilege of enjoying in Hong Kong. Passages in the Chopin Nocturne in D flat were exquisite also, Brailowsky's perfection of touch was recognisable when one was able to hear and recognise both it and the music without being distracted by whirlwind brilliance of execution.

Last night's concert makes one believe that this young pianist may have a brilliant future. If he can get a hearing and a name through his extraordinary technical skill, he may one day be in a position to get people to come and listen to him because he has music to give them—and we heard enough last night to make me sure that he has this very great and unusual gift to offer.

I shall look forward to Alexander Brailowsky's next visit to this Colony because I am sure that he will then give us more music and fewer fireworks.

His programme last night was as follows:—

I.
Toccata and Fugue, D minor Bach-Busent.
Pastorale and Canrio Scarlati.
Sonata, op. 17 (Moonlight) Beethoven.
Adagio sostenuto—Allegretto—Presto agitato.
II.
Fantasia Impromptu O. sharp minor Chopin.
Ballade G minor Waltz, A flat Nocturne, D flat Polonaise, A flat III.
Refects Dan L'Enfer Debussy.
Bital Dances of Fire, de Falla.
Prelude, G major Raminoff.
Hungarian Rhapsody, No. 2 Liszt.
The piano—a Steadyway baby grand, was kindly lent by Montrose & Co. Ltd.

MYSTERY AT THE "QUEEN'S."

EXCELLENT VAUDEVILLE AND ILLUSION.

An extremely good vaudeville show is to be presented at the Queen's Theatre next week in addition to a film programme. The show consists of feats of legendarianism and balancing and a humorous interlude is also provided.

The tip-bit of the programme is undoubtedly the mind-reading of Princess Panthea. Her powers of telepathy are most unusual, and she will offer one advice of even the most intimate of problems. Excellently staged and mystifying illusions occupy a prominent position on the programme, while the acrobatic capabilities of a one-legged performer have to be seen to be believed. This vaudeville act undoubtedly make a welcome addition to the Colony's entertainment for next week.

CHINESE CLERK'S DEATH.

CORONER RETURNS OPEN VERDICT.

The inquiry into the circumstances surrounding the death of a Chinese youth named Tam King Po who died in the Kowloon Hospital on April 25 last under somewhat tragic circumstances, was concluded before Mr. J. A. Fraser at Kowloon Magistracy yesterday when an "Open Verdict" was returned.

It will be recalled that the police, on receipt of a message, proceeded to Woosung Street on the day in question, when they found the deceased lying on a shutter with two Ambulance men attending to him. He was removed to the Kowloon Hospital but died shortly after admission.

There was wanted by the police in connection with an embezzlement some weeks previously.

JAPANESE RESIDENTS CELEBRATE.

EMPEROR'S BIRTHDAY YESTERDAY.

The Japanese community yesterday celebrated the birthday of the Emperor when all the Japanese offices observed a holiday and flew the Japanese flag over their places of business. The large number of Japanese shops also flew their national flag over their doorway and were closed entirely to business.

The official commemoration of the Emperor's birthday took the form of a reception at the residence of the Japanese Consul-General between 12.45 and 1.30 o'clock. Representatives of the different communities attended as well as members of the Legislative Council and the Consular Body.

LOIS MORAN'S NARROW ESCAPE.

SAVED BY HEROIC CAR DRIVER.

All of the thrills in the making of motion pictures are not filmed by the camera.

One of these unprogrammed thrills, touched with tragedy, occurred during the making of "West of Broadway" John Gilbert's new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer starring vehicle which will come on Sunday to the Queen's Theatre. The exciting experience, involving the death of one man, almost resulted in Lois Moran and Ralph Bellamy, featured players, being hurled over a 900-foot cliff in a closed automobile.

On the way to the top of Oak Mountain, California, some 5,000 feet above sea level, guided only by ten miles of tortuous roads edging on the brink of steep, craggy, Miss Moran and Bellamy noticed that the driver of the car in which they were riding appeared unusually quiet and uncommunicative. They thought nothing of it, however, until they reached the top of a steep grade overlooking the location site. There the car suddenly became out of control and started like a wild locomotive down the side of the mountain.

Realizing that the man at the wheel was unconscious, Miss Moran and Bellamy sought to check the mad flight of the tumbling car, headed down the slope for a "jump-off" some 900 feet deep. As the car bolted madly, the driver, by some subconscious or super-human effort, managed to shut off the ignition, killing the engine. On the apron of the cliff the car crashed into a giant oak tree, lurched about in a wild circle and finally came to a halt not more than fifty feet from the drop to certain oblivion. The driver toppled from his seat lifeless; the victim of a fatal heart attack.

Other members of the company rushed to the aid of Miss Moran who, despite the nerve-wracking experience, continued to play her part, riding with Gilbert over the rugged mountains on Mustangs through the scenes scheduled for that particular location. According to those who witnessed the flight of the automobile toward the edge of the cliff, veterans of many movie thrills, it was the most exciting incident they ever beheld. Investigators declared the escape of the players from the fate of being crashed over the 900-foot drop was nothing short of miraculous. They were spared only through a kindly intervention of fate and the dying heroism of the driver—whose last thought was to save his passengers.

Harry Beaumont directed the new Gilbert picture from an original story by Ralph Graves and Basil Marryth. Included in the cast are Madge Evans, El Brendel, Frank Conway, Gwen Lee and Hedda Hopper.

ADVERTISED SAILINGS FROM HONG KONG.

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KANGKOO.
Murotan Maru, N.Y.K., April 29.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., May 9.

SAIGON.
Portheos, M.M., May 10.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Chenonceaux, M.M., May 24.
Athos II, M.M., June 7.
D'Artagnan, M.M., June 21.
Andre Lebon, M.M., July 5.
Felix Metzinger, M.M., July 19.

ROTTERDAM.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., April 30.
Oregon Star, Dodwell, April 30.
Saarbrücken, Melchers, April 30.
Laverkusen, Joben, May 4.
Malaya, Manners, May 6.
Gleniffer, J. M. & Co., May 7.
Antenor, B. and S., May 11.
Somali, M. & Co., May 14.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 14.
City of Bagdad, Bank Line, May 10.
City of Bedford, Bank Line, May 15.

Philocholis, B. & S., May 17.
Ruh, Johnson, May 18.
Burgeland, Joben, May 20.
Icar, Melchers, May 22.
Glenob, J. M. & Co., May 26.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Coblens, Melchers, June 1.
Africa, Manners, June 7.
Bangalore, M. & Co., June 11.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., June 11.
City of Derby, Bank Line, June 12.
Havelland, Joben, June 13.
Australian, Manners, July 3.
Bhutan, M. M. & Co., July 9.
City of Perth, Bank Line, July 13.

SANDAKAN.
Hinsang, J. M. & Co., May 11.
Yusang, J. M. & Co., May 12.

SAITUAO.
Linao, B. & S., May 6.

SAN FRANCISCO.
Tayuma Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.
Pres. McKinley, Dollar, May 10.
Shinyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 15.
Pres. Grant, Dollar, May 24.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., June 1.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar, June 7.

SCANDINAVIAN PORTS.
Nagara, Gilman, May 6.
Malaya, Manners, May 6.
Nanking, Gilman, May 29.
Africa, Manners, June 7.
Tamura, Swedish, June 27.
Australia, Manners, July 3.

SEATTLE.
Pres. Taft, Dollar, April 30.
Protoslaus, B. & S., May 5.
Pres. Jefferson, Dollar, May 14.
Hikawa Maru, N.Y.K., May 24.
Pres. Madison, Dollar, May 28.
Ixion, B. & S., June 4.
Hiye Maru, N.Y.K., June 7.

SEANGHAI.
Kwangtung, B. & S., April 30.
Africa, Manners, May 1.
Bangalore, M. & Co., May 1.
Daviken, J. M. & Co., May 1.
Sunning, B. & S., May 1.
Glenob, J. M. & Co., May 3.
Shantung, B. & S., May 3.
Foshing, J. M. & Co., May 4.
Himalaya, Dodwell, May 4.
Taiyuan, B. & S., May 4.
Tayuma Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.
Ranchi, M. M. & Co., May 5.
Tilawa, M. M. & Co., May 5.
Conte Rosso, Dodwell, May 6.
Empress of Japan, C.P.R., May 6.
Tanda, M. M. & Co., May 6.
Mentor, B. & S., May 6.
Szechuen, B. & S., May 6.
Yatshing, J. M. & Co., May 8.
Athos II, M.M., May 10.
Sinkiang, B. & S., May 10.
Hansang, J. M. & Co., May 11.
Tainan, B. & S., May 11.
Kwangtung, B. & S., May 12.
Shinyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 12.
Nalder, M. M. & Co., May 19.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.R., May 20.
Glenob, J. M. & Co., May 20.
D'Artagnan, M.M., May 24.
Hikawa Maru, N.Y.K., May 24.
Ixion, B. & S., May 24.
Tamura, Gilman, May 28.
Australia, Manners, May 31.
Bhutan, M. M. & Co., June 1.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., June 1.
Kaist-I-Hind, M. M. & Co., June 2.

SYDNEY.
Nellore, M. M. & Co., April 30.
Taiping, B. & S., May 20.
Nikano Maru, N.Y.K., May 23.
Tanda, M. M. & Co., June 3.
Change, B. & S., June 21.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., June 25.
Nankin, M. M. & Co., July 2.

TAKU.
Tayuma Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., June 25.

THURSDAY ISLAND.
Taiping, B. & S., May 20.
Nikano Maru, N.Y.K., May 23.
Change, B. & S., June 21.

TIENSTIN.
Kueichow, B. & S., May 1.
Cheongshing, J. M. & Co., May 13.
Huichow, B. & S., May 13.
Chipsing, J. M. & Co., May 20.

TOWNSVILLE.
Taiping, B. & S., May 20.
Change, B. & S., June 21.

TSINGTAU.
Sunning, B. & S., May 1.
Daviken, J. M. & Co., May 1.
Shantung, B. & S., May 3.
Foshing, J. M. & Co., May 4.
Szechuen, B. & S., May 6.
Yatshing, J. M. & Co., May 8.
Sinkiang, B. & S., May 10.
Hansang, J. M. & Co., May 11.

UNITED KINGDOM and CONTINENT.
City of Bagdad, Bank Line, May 10.
City of Bedford, Bank Line, May 15.

VALENCIA.
Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Dakar, Maru, N.Y.K., June 10.

VANCOUVER.
Protoslaus, B. & S., May 5.
Empress of Japan, C.P.R., May 6.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.R., May 20.
Hikawa Maru, N.Y.K., May 24.
Empress of Canada, C.P.R., June 3.
Ixion, B. & S., June 4.
Hiye Maru, N.Y.K., June 7.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.R., June 17.

VENICE AND TRIESTE.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Himalaya, Dodwell, June 1.

VICTORIA.
Pres. Taft, Dollar, April 30.
Protoslaus, B. & S., May 5.
Empress of Japan, C.P.R., May 6.
Pres. Jefferson, Dollar, May 14.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.R., May 20.
Pres. Madison, Dollar, May 28.
Ixion, B. & S., June 4.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.R., June 17.

VLADIVOSTOK.
Glenob, J. M. & Co., May 3.
Glenob, J. M. & Co., May 3.
Glenob, J. M. & Co., May 3.
Glenob, J. M. & Co., May 3.

WHEATON.
Kueichow, B. & S., May 1.
Huichow, B. & S., May 1.

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ADEM.

Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., April 30.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., May 3.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 10.
Congo Rosso, Dodwell, May 15.
Chenonceaux, M.M., May 24.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Himalaya, Dodwell, June 1.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., June 11.
D'Aragnan, M.M., June 21.
Andre Lebon, M.M., July 5.
Felix Metzinger, M.M., July 10.

ALEXANDRIA.

Pres. Pierce, Dollar, May 1.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar, May 15.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, May 29.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, June 12.

ALGIERES.

Nagara, Gilman, May 8.
Nanking, Gilman, May 29.
Tamura, Swedish, June 27.

AMOEY.

Yuenhsang, J. M. & Co., May 2.
Haiching, Douglas, May 3.
Taiyuan, B. & S., May 4.
Tilawa, M. M. & Co., May 5.
Haining, Douglas, May 8.
Athos, B. & S., May 11.
Ramsang, J. M. & Co., May 18.
Tama, M. M. & Co., May 19.
Santhia, M. M. & Co., June 2.

ANTWERP.

Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., April 30.
Somali, M. M. & Co., May 14.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 14.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Bangalore, M. M. & Co., June 11.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., June 11.
Bhutan, M. M. & Co., July 9.

AUSTRALIAN PORTS.

Nellere, M. M. & Co., April 30.
Taiping, B. & S., May 20.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Tanda, M. M. & Co., June 3.
Changte, B. & S., June 21.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., June 25.
Nankin, M. M. & Co., July 2.

BALBOA.

Tsuyama Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.

BALI.

Tjinegara, J.C.J.L., May 17.

BALTI PORTS.

Malaya, Manners, May 6.
Africa, Manners, June 7.
Australia, Manners, July 3.

BALTIMORE.

Adriatic, B. & S., May 11.

BANGKOK.

Hiram, Thoresen, May 1.
Kalena, B. & S., May 1.
Hellas, Thoresen, May 8.
Kingsu, B. & S., May 8.
Kweiyang, B. & S., May 3.
Hellas, Thoresen, May 15.
Hirundo, Thoresen, May 22.
Hiram, Thoresen, May 29.

BARCELONA.

Saarbrücken, Melchers, April 30.
Havelland, Jensen, May 20.
Coblentz, Melchers, June 1.

BATAVIA.

Tjinegara, J.C.J.L., May 3.
Tjitarang, J.C.J.L., May 10.

BEYROUTH.

Dakar, Maru, N.Y.K., June 16.

BOMBAY.

Pres. Pierce, Dollar, May 1.
Alipore, M. M. & Co., May 2.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., May 3.
Rampura, M. M. & Co., May 7.
Iyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 11.
Somali, M. M. & Co., May 14.
Congo Rosso, Dodwell, May 15.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar, May 15.
Chitral, M. M. & Co., May 21.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, May 29.
Himalaya, Dodwell, June 1.
Ranchi, M. M. & Co., June 11.
Bangalore, M. M. & Co., June 11.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, June 12.
Naldora, M. M. & Co., June 13.
Kaiser-I-Hind, M. M. & Co., July 2.

BREMEN.

Saarbrücken, Melchers, April 30.
Isar, Melchers, May 22.
Coblentz, Melchers, June 1.

BRINDISI.

Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., May 3.
Congo Rosso, Dodwell, May 15.
Himalaya, Dodwell, June 1.

BRISBANE.

Nellere, M. M. & Co., April 30.
Taiping, B. & S., May 20.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Tanda, M. M. & Co., June 3.
Changte, B. & S., June 21.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., June 25.
Nankin, M. M. & Co., July 2.

CAIENS.

Taiping, B. & S., May 20.
Changte, B. & S., June 21.

CALCUTTA.

Takada, M. M. & Co., April 30.
Alipore, M. M. & Co., May 3.
Kutsang, J. M. & Co., May 8.
Gendou Maru, N.Y.K., May 17.
Yuenhsang, J. M. & Co., May 17.
Tilawa, M. M. & Co., May 18.

CASABLANCA.

Somali, M. M. & Co., May 14.
Isar, Melchers, May 22.
Bangalore, M. M. & Co., June 11.
Bhutan, M. M. & Co., July 9.

CHEFOO.

Kueichow, B. & S., May 1.
Chongshing, J. M. & Co., May 13.
Huichow, B. & S., May 13.
Chipsing, J. M. & Co., May 30.

COLOMBO.

Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., April 30.
Saarbrücken, Melchers, April 30.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar, May 1.
Alipore, M. M. & Co., May 2.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., May 3.
Gleniffer, J. M. & Co., May 7.
Porthos, M. M. & Co., May 10.
Iyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 11.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 14.
Congo Rosso, Dodwell, May 15.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar, May 15.
Isar, Melchers, May 22.
Chenonceaux, M.M., May 24.
Gleniffer, J. M. & Co., May 24.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, May 29.
Kiddersport, M. M. & Co., May 31.
Himalaya, Dodwell, June 1.
Athos, M. M. & Co., June 7.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., June 11.
D'Aragnan, M.M., June 21.
Andre Lebon, M.M., July 5.
Felix Metzinger, M.M., July 10.

COPENHAGEN.

Malaya, Manners, May 6.
Africa, Manners, June 7.
Australia, Manners, July 3.

CRESTOVAL.

Tsuyama Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.

DAIREN.

Linan, B. & S., May 6.
Chinhua, B. & S., May 13.

DJIBOUTI.

Porthos, M.M., May 10.
Somali, M. M. & Co., May 14.
Chenonceaux, M.M., May 24.
Athos, M. M. & Co., June 7.
Bangalore, M. M. & Co., June 11.
D'Aragnan, M.M., June 21.
Andre Lebon, M.M., July 5.
Bhutan, M. M. & Co., July 9.
Felix Metzinger, M.M., July 10.

DUNKIRK.

Malaya, Manners, May 6.
Africa, Manners, June 7.
Havelland, Jensen, June 13.
Australia, Manners, July 3.

EUROPE.

Pres. Pierce, Dollar, May 1.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar, May 15.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, May 29.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, June 12.

FOOCHOW.

Haiching, Douglas, May 3.
Haining, Douglas, May 8.
Chongshing, J. M. & Co., May 13.
Chipsing, J. M. & Co., May 30.

GENOA.

Saarbrücken, Melchers, April 30.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar, May 1.
Kueichow, B. & S., May 1.
Huichow, B. & S., May 13.
Levensen, Jensen, May 4.
Nagara, Gilman, May 8.
Tsuyama Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Pres. Monroe, Dollar, May 15.
Rahr, Jensen, May 18.
Nanking, Gilman, May 29.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, May 29.
Coblentz, Melchers, June 1.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, June 12.
Havelland, Jensen, June 13.
Dakar, Maru, N.Y.K., June 16.
Tamura, Swedish, June 27.

GIBRALTAR.

Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., April 30.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 14.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., June 11.

GLASGOW.

Antenor, B. & S., May 11.

HAMBURG.

Oregon Star, Dodwell, April 30.
Saarbrücken, Melchers, April 30.
Levensen, Jensen, May 4.
Malaya, Manners, May 6.
Gleniffer, J. M. & Co., May 7.
City of Baghdad, Bank Line, May 10.
Somali, M. M. & Co., May 14.
City of Bedford, Bank Line, May 15.
Philoteia, B. & S., May 17.
Rahr, Jensen, May 18.
Burgeland, Jensen, May 20.
Isar, Melchers, May 22.
Coblentz, Melchers, June 1.
Africa, Manners, June 7.
Bangalore, M. M. & Co., June 11.
City of Derby, Bank Line, June 12.
Havelland, Jensen, June 13.
Australia, Manners, July 3.
Bhutan, M. M. & Co., July 9.
City of Perth, Bank Line, July 15.

HAIPHONG.

Kingyuan, B. & S., May 6.

HAYE.

Malaya, Manners, May 6.
City of Baghdad, Bank Line, May 10.
Somali, M. M. & Co., May 14.
City of Bedford, Bank Line, May 15.
Tencor, B. & S., May 15.
Africa, Manners, June 7.
Bangalore, M. M. & Co., June 11.
City of Derby, Bank Line, June 12.
Australia, Manners, July 3.
Bhutan, M. M. & Co., July 9.
City of Perth, Bank Line, July 15.

HONGKONG.

Kingyuan, B. & S., May 6.

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HULL.

Antenor, B. & S., May 11.
Somali, M. M. & Co., May 14.
Bangalore, M. M. & Co., June 11.
Bhutan, M. M. & Co., July 9.

IZMIR.

Dakar, Maru, N.Y.K., June 16.

ISTANBUL (Constantinople).

Dakar, Maru, N.Y.K., June 16.

ITALY.

Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., May 3.
Congo Rosso, Dodwell, May 15.
Himalaya, Dodwell, June 1.

JAPAN PORTS.

Bangalore, M. M. & Co., May 1.
Yuenhsang, J. M. & Co., May 2.
Gleniffer, J. M. & Co., May 3.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.
Himalaya, Dodwell, May 5.
Tsuyama Maru, N.Y.K., May 4.
Benign Maru, N.Y.K., May 6.
Protoslaus, B. & S., May 5.
Ranchi, M. M. & Co., May 6.
Tilawa, M. M. & Co., May 5.
Coblentz, Melchers, May 5/6.
Congo Rosso, Dodwell, May 5/6.
Empress of Japan, C.P.R., May 6.
Tanda, M. M. & Co., May 6.
Mentor, B. & S., May 6.
Athos, M. M. & Co., May 10.
Durban Maru, N.Y.K., May 12.
Shinyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 13.
Havelland, Jensen, May 17.
Kumsang, J. M. & Co., May 18.
Saale, Melchers, May 18.
Naldora, M. M. & Co., May 18.
Tama, M. M. & Co., May 19.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.R., May 20.
Gleniffer, J. M. & Co., May 20.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 21.
D'Aragnan, M.M., May 21.
Hikawa Maru, N.Y.K., May 24.
Tamura, Gilman, May 29.
Bhutan, M. M. & Co., June 1.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., June 1.
Kaiser-I-Hind, M. M. & Co., June 2.
Santhia, M. M. & Co., June 2.
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STATION		Barometer at Sea Level		Temperature	Wind		Direction	Barometer at Sea Level		Temperature	Wind		Direction						
Lat	Long	Inches	Milli.		Force	Dir		Inches	Milli.		Force	Dir							
Windsorstock	12	29.85	753.0	55	...	NW	1	b	6	29.74	755.3	43	...	SE	3	b			
Nemuro	11	29.84	758.0	...	...	S	1	...	...	29.77	761.0	...	...	WNW	1	...			
Hakodate	...	29.83	754.0	...	...	SE	1	...	...	29.76	756.5	...	...	...	...	...			
Tokio	...	29.92	747.5	...	...	S	2	...	...	29.73	755.0	...	...	NW	1	...			
Kochi	...	29.76	766.0	...	...	E	2	...	...	29.88	759.0	...	...	...	...	...			
Nagasaki	...	29.80	757.0	...	...	NW	1	...	...	29.84	760.0	...	...	...	...	...			
Kagoshima	...	29.80	757.0	...	...	W	1	...	...	29.82	760.0	...	...	...	...	...			
Oshima	...	29.86	759.0	...	...	S	2	...	...	29.84	760.0	...	...	...	...	...			
Naha	...	29.84	761.0	...	...	SSW	4	...	...	29.82	760.0	...	...	NE	1	...			
Ishigaki	...	29.84	760.5	...	...	SSW	1	...	...	29.86	762.5	...	...	S	1	...			
Bonin Island	...	30.04	794.5	...	...	...	...	...	...	30.03	793.5	...	...	...	...	...			
Choshi	13	29.83	757.7	57	...	NW	4	b	6	29.73	755.6	59	...	SE	3	c			
Shanghai	14	30.06	793.8	70	6	NW	4	b	6	29.93	760.1	68	6	SSW	2	c			
Guangzhou	...	30.83	792.7	61	8	N	2	bc	...	29.99	761.7	56	6	SE	4	c			
Amoy	...	29.89	769.2	71	6	SE	4	b	7	29.98	769.2	85	6	...	...	...			
Swatow	...	29.82	767.1	58	8	SE	2	b	6	29.90	769.4	61	...	E	2	c			
Taiho	...	29.82	769.9	54	...	WSW	1	c	...	29.81	768.6	70	...	E	3	c			
Taihu	11	29.94	760.4	55	...	W	2	c	...	29.88	769.0	70	...	E	6	c			
Taihu	...	29.94	760.9	55	...	...	...	bc	...	29.89	769.3	72	...	...	...	...			
Tainan	...	29.98	762.2	58	...	WSW	3	b	...	29.85	768.2	72	...	N	2	b			
Koshun	...	29.91	759.8	58	...	S	2	bc	...	29.84	768.0	76	...	...	...	...			
Pescadore	...	29.94	764.3	58	...	WNW	2	bc	...	29.86	758.3	74	...	NNE	4	c			
Hong Kong	14	29.87	758.1	54	7	...	3	bc	6	29.88	757.7	72	5	...	...	...			
Gap Rock	...	29.89	769.2	78	7	ENE	2	b	...	29.85	758.3	77	7	SSW	2	c			
Macao	...	29.85	759.3	55	4	SSW	2	bc	...	29.78	756.0	74	...	SE	2	c			
Haihow	...	29.88	758.9	58	...	...	0	b	6	29.86	758.3	76	8	...	...	...			
Pratas Island	...	29.83	767.6	77	7	SE	4	c	7	29.83	757.7	73	...	E	3	c			
Thaurien	15	29.80	756.9	66	8	E	2	bc	...	29.82	757.5	73	...	...	...	...			
Tourane	...	29.82	767.5	86	7	E	3	bc	...	29.82	767.5	81	7	ENE	3	c			
Cape St. James	...	29.43	757.6	86	8	SE	4	bc	6	29.84	767.4	79	6	SE	2	c			
Bacon	14	29.73	757.6	91	6	NE	4	b	...	29.82	753.4	76	6	SE	2	bc			
Aparr	...	29.74	755.4	...	...	...	0	c	...	29.81	757.2	74	4	...	...	...			
Tuguegarao	...	29.78	753.8	84	...	NW	4	bc	...	29.82	767.3	81	6	W	2	c			
Vigan	...	29.78	753.8	84	...	NE	4	b	...	29.81	767.2	75	6	...	...	...			
Manila	...	29.78	753.4	94	...	NE	2	bc	...	29.79	766.7	81	6	...	...	...			
Legaspi	...	29.78	753.4	94	...	NE	2	bc	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Calbayog	...	29.77	755.9	91	8	NE	4	b	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Tacloban	...	29.78	754.0	93	...	...	0	c	...	29.80	757.0	81	8	N	E	2			
Boho	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29.74	755.8	79	...	NNE	4	c			
Cebu	...	29.74	755.5	91	8	NE	4	bc	...	29.78	756.8	81	8	NE	2	c			
Surigao	...	29.75	755.6	79	6	SE	2	d	...	29.76	756.8	77	6	SW	4	c			
Skuan	11.00	...	...	...	...	E	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Guam	12.22	29.76	766.8	...	6	E	4	bc	4.22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Yap	11.03	29.78	758.5	...	6	ENE	4	c	5	29.82	757.3	...	6	NE	2	c			
Palaw	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Labuan	14	29.94	760.4	88	6	W	6	bc	6	29.72	766.4	76	1	S	...	bc			

